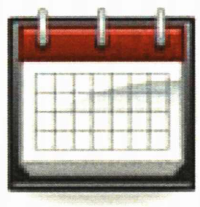
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Chalon Student News

ISSUE No. 1 Series 2008 | Friday, August 22, 2008 | Published by the Student Affairs Office

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- Residents Move-In

Sunday, August 24-Monday Sept. 1
- Welcome Week Activities (see this page)

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A Message from the Academic Dean

A warm welcome to our new and returning Chalon Athenians! If I can be of any help to you, please feel free to stop by my office, H410. Meanwhile, may you have an academically successful and personally enjoyable fall '08 semester. God bless all of you!

Sr. Joseph Adele
Baccalaureate Dean

Archives
MSMC

Dear Athenians,

Welcome to the new academic year! I hope that you've had a refreshing summer and are ready for the challenges, opportunities and excitement ahead. We have been very busy this summer preparing a robust and expanded series of programs and activities for your involvement and enjoyment. Everything from the new Athenian Café to Friday Night Flicks to the L.E.A.P. activities sponsored by Residence Life are all set for a year of energy and in-campus fun. (The *Chalon Student News* is a great way to keep connected with all these events and important information!) The classrooms and hallways of the Humanities Building have also been renewed and everything is ready for you.



So take a deep breath and jump in! Good things lie ahead...

Dr. Jane Lingua
Vice President for Student Affairs











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Residence Desk Workers

Are you reliable, honest and responsible? If so, the Residence Desk may be the place for you!

We're looking for Chalon residents to apply to work at the Residence Desk for the 2008-2009 year. Applicants must have work study.

Applications will be available starting:

Monday, August 25

in the Chalon Residence Life Office, Brady 101.

Applications will be accepted until positions are filled.
If you have any questions, contact the Residence Life Office at (310) 954-4325 or stop by Brady 101.

Learning Assistance Programs/ISAE
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Snacks! Gifts! Fun!



The Learning Center would like to welcome new and returning students to Fall 2008 by inviting you to our office to meet our staff, enjoy a snack and receive a free gift! (While supplies last) Learning Center hours are Monday-Thursday 8:00am-6:00pm, and Friday 8:00am-4:30pm. We are located in the Humanities Building in Room 207. See you all there!

JOBS FOR FRESHMEN!

Are you looking for a job? Have you been awarded **WORK STUDY** money? Do you like to work in a fun environment with friendly staff and students? Then stop by the Learning Center to pick up your application TODAY! You can also email your interest to learningcenter@msmc.la.edu.

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We look forward to seeing you there!

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Please contact Career Services with questions at (310) 954-4070 or in Humanities 401. Click on Career Services on the www.msmc.la.edu website for a full list of events and resources/services we offer!

We look forward to helping you create a sweet future!

- Marlene Simon, Director & Marcy Newman, Assistant Director

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Visit us online at: www.msmc.la.edu/advisement for information on...

*Articulation Agreements *Study Abroad *Major Exploration
*Transfer Credits *Pre-Nursing Corner *Parent Resources
*And Much More!!

Did you transfer in?
Transfer Students have ***one*** semester to contest their transfer credit evaluations.
Need more transfer credit policy information? Check it out online:
www.msmc.la.edu/pages/3495.asp

CAMPUS MINISTRY NEWS
Hum. 110– (310) 954-4125

What an exciting year lies ahead!

As we begin to settle down for another semester of hard work, we can be inspired to work hard in other aspects of our lives. How's your relationship with God? With other people? Maybe this is the year for you to undertake a fresh look and be surprised by new discoveries, as we build Church ***in ourselves***.

There are lots of ways to do this –



Participation in Sunday Mass!
All are Welcome to our first Mass of the Semester
Sunday, August 24th, 7pm in Mary Chapel
After Mass eat some refreshments and meet new people!

***Join a Prayer Group**
*Sign up for an **Ecclesia workshop** to learn more about our faith
*Think of how you can reach out and **serve others** (lots of opportunities!)

Like to sing?

Join the choir for Sunday Mass, with practices each Sunday at 5:45 pm.
Contact Laura Gomez, Music Director, at 310-954-4124 or lgomez@msmc.la.edu

Want to try some other ministries at Mass?

Have you ever thought that you might like to try being a Eucharistic Minister, a server, an usher or lector at Mass? You'd meet a great group of people, and gain a new and deeper understanding of the Mass! Contact Laura Gomez at 310-954-4124 or lgomez@msmc.la.edu.



Cookies will be returning to Monday mornings very soon! Keep watching for information about when this will begin.

Coming Soon...

***Room Blessings:** *Visitors will be coming around to give you "room blessing" treats*
***Feed the Homeless:** *Starts with Mass on August 24th*
***Visit the Retired Sisters at Carondelet Center:** *Meet the retired Sisters of St. Joseph who live just down the hill and have wonderful stories to share! Our first visit will be on Thursday, September 18. Watch future Chalon News for more information.*
***Pax Christi:** the International Catholic Peace Organization, will be starting a chapter at MSMC in order to work for peace and social justice. Come sign up at the Welcome Table after mass or e-mail Laura Gomez at lgomez@msmc.la.edu
***School of the Americas:** Students from the Mount sponsored by the CSJ sisters will travel to Georgia this November to protest the school of the Americas.

***NO MASS ON CAMPUS ON August 31** (LABOR DAY WEEKEND)*
Mass resumes in Mary Chapel on 9/7.
CAMPUS MINISTRY IS HERE FOR YOU!
Find us around campus or contact us by phone or email or on the web –
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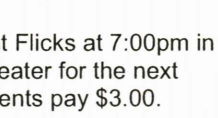
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BUSINESS OFFICE NEWS

(Administration 1st Floor, (310) 954-4040)

MOUNT ST. MARY'S COLLEGE
FALL 2008 TUITION & ROOM REFUND SCHEDULES
UNDERGRADUATES - TRADITIONAL

TUITION REFUND SCHEDULE

Start Date 08/25/08
End Date 12/14/08
Total Days 112

Enrollment Period		Add/Drop Date From	Add/Drop Date To	% of Refund
On or Before the Last Day of the Add/Drop Date		08/25/08	08/29/08	100%
% of Enrollment Period	10%	08/30/08	09/04/08	90%
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% of Enrollment Period	26% - 50%	09/22/08	10/19/08	25%
% of Enrollment Period	After 50%	10/20/08		0%

ROOM REFUND SCHEDULE

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ROOM REFUND SCHEDULE BY ROOM TYPE

Termination Date		Aug 26-Sep 4, 2008		Sep 5-21, 2008		Sep 22-Oct 19, 2008	
Room Type	Room Rate	Refund 90%	Charge 10%	Refund 50%	Charge 50%	Refund 25%	Charge 75%
Quadruple	$ 4,405.00	3,964.50	440.50	2,202.50	2,202.50	1,101.25	3,303.75
Triple	$ 4,665.00	4,199.50	466.50	2,332.50	2,332.50	1,166.25	3,498.75
Small Double	$ 4,790.00	4,311.00	479.00	2,395.00	2,395.00	1,197.50	3,592.50
Large Double	$ 4,915.00	4,423.50	491.50	2,457.50	2,457.50	1,228.75	3,686.25
Single	$ 5,200.00	4,680.00	520.00	2,600.00	2,600.00	1,300.00	3,900.00
Single/Half-Bath	$ 5,420.00	4,878.00	542.00	2,710.00	2,710.00	1,355.00	4,065.00
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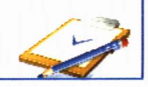
Important Deadlines from the Registrar's Off!!

(Administration Building 1st Floor—(310) 954-4020)

SENIORS!! The last day to apply for Spring 2009 Graduation is TODAY, FRIDAY, AUGUST 29! If you plan to Graduate Fall 2008, your deadline has PASSED!

LAST DAY TO ADD/DROP A CLASS

Last day to ADD/DROP for FALL 2008 is Friday, August 29, 2008. Classes MAY NOT BE ADDED after this date! A student may however still drop (WITHDRAW) from a class, but will receive a grade of "W" and must pay a $10.00 fee. Last day to withdraw is Friday, October 31. ALL students are required to CONFIRM ENROLLMENT via Webadvisor NO LATER than Friday, August 29, 2008. **Failure to log on and verify attendance will result in you possibly being DROPPED from your FALL 2008 classes!!!**





The Women's Leadership Office is now located on Brady ground floor in Leavey Commons. Come in and visit us for information on becoming a Leadership Scholar, positions in the Associated Student Body, and information on Clubs and Organizations!

The Student Programming and Commuter Services Office is now in Humanities 200A. Come visit us to find out more information about upcoming programs and events, benefits for commuter students, and to purchase discounted tickets to movies, theme parks and more!

BECOME A LEADERSHIP SCHOLAR!

(Women's leadership Office, Leavey Commons (310) 954-4350)

The Women's Leadership Program offers Freshmen and Sophomore students the opportunity to become a part of a unique leadership development experience. The Leadership Scholar Program recognizes the leadership potential of individuals who have made exemplary contributions to their high schools, prior colleges, and personal lives through involvement, service, and leadership activities. Participants will receive individual leadership development, specialized activities, and priority for conference registration.

Applications are available on our website and in our office in Leavey Commons. Students will be considered and accepted based on the order in which their completed application is received. Applications are due **in-person** by Wednesday, September 3, 2008. Please note that you must take LWS 1A: Introduction to Leadership Concepts (1 unit, Mondays 1:50-2:50pm) this Fall to be a Leadership Scholar. To enroll, please see Rosalyn in Women's Leadership. Please let us know if you have questions! We hope to see you soon!

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MSMC Women's Volleyball
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GET INVOLVED!!! BE A PART OF CHALON ASB!
(Women's Leadership Office, Leavey Commons (310) 954-4350)

The following positions are available:





Exec Board

VP, Chair of Senate

VP, Chair of Student Activities Council (SAC)

Chair of Inter-Club Council (ICC)

[Must have held previous ASB position for 1 year]

Senate Positions

Freshman Senators (2)

Sophomore Senators (2)

Junior Senators (2)

Commuter Senators (4)

Student Activities Council (SAC)

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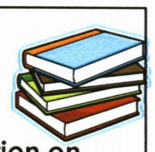
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Raffles and other fun prizes will be given away in addition to the activities we're having. Wear your "Live On Campus" shirt and receive an extra raffle ticket, which can increase your chances at winning a prize!

Friday, August 29 from 6 - 8 pm: Board Games and Wii Challenge

Saturday, September 6 from 6 - 8 pm: Decorate a Picture Frame

Friday, September 12 from 6 - 8 pm: Make a Dream Catcher

Saturday, September 20 from 6 - 8 pm: Bingo Match

Saturday, October 4 from 6 - 8 pm: Board Games and Wii Challenge

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Saturday, November 8 from 6 - 8 pm: Board Games and Wii Challenge

Friday, November 14 from 6 - 8 pm: Learn how to Bead

Saturday, November 22 from 6 - 8 pm: Bingo Match

Saturday, December 6 from 7 - 10 pm: Board Games and Wii Challenge

Sunday, December 7 from 5 - 7 pm: Make a Stress Relief Ball

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Wednesday, September 10
- Alpha Tau Delta's 1st General Meeting — 9:00 pm-10:00pm — Hannon Theater

Thursday, September 11
- Mass of the Holy Spirit — 11:30 am — Chapel
- Community Engagement Info Session — 1:00 pm-2:00 pm — H405B
- Ice Cream Social — 1:00 pm-2:30 pm — Campus Center

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Survival Tips to Stay on Top This Semester

From Counseling and Psychological Services

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Wear RED and join us at the Mass of the Holy Spirit.

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Cardinal Roger Mahony will be presiding.

Hope to see you all there for this wonderful celebration at the Mount.

Lunch will be provided after mass in the Circle.
**Classes are cancelled from 11:30am-1:30pm*







Come and Join Us!!!

Alpha Tau Delta's 1st General Meeting will be on Wednesday, September 10, 2008 at 9:00 pm in Hannon Theater.

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(Hum. 401—310-954-4070)

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Please contact Career Services with questions at (310) 954-4070 or in Humanities 401.

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- Marlene Simon, Director & Marcy Newman, Assistant Director



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E-mail: cnews@msmc.la.edu

Calling all Business Administration Majors/Minors and friends…

Business Administration & Student Orientation/Ice Cream Social



Thursday Sept 11th, 2008
1:00-2:30 PM
Campus Center

** Come by anytime after the Mass of the Holy Spirit!*

MSMC Women's Volleyball

(Fitness Center- (310) 954-4345)



An Intramural team is now forming to play at UCLA. If you are committed to play for the program please sign up at the Chalon Fitness Center. Practices begin soon!

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Cookies will be returning to Monday mornings very soon!
Keep watching for information about when this will begin.



Coming Soon…

***Room Blessings:** *Visitors will be coming around to give you "room blessing" treats*
***Feed the Homeless:** *Starts with Mass on August 24th*
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Mass resumes in Mary Chapel on 9/7.

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Fall 2008 Athenian Café

(Residence Life Office, Brady 101—(310) 954-4325)
(Food Services, Leavey Commons—(310) 954-4310)

All MSMC students are welcome to participate in our Athenian Cafés. Bring your MSMC ID and receive a free drink at the Coffee Bar and a delicious pastry!

Raffles and other fun prizes will be given away in addition to the activities we're having. Wear your "Live On Campus" shirt and receive an extra raffle ticket, which can increase your chances at winning a prize!

Saturday, September 6 from 6 - 8 pm: Decorate a Picture Frame

Friday, September 12 from 6 - 8 pm: Make a Dream Catcher

Saturday, September 20 from 6 - 8 pm: Bingo Match

Saturday, October 4 from 6 - 8 pm: Board Games and Wii Challenge

Friday, October 10 from 6 - 8 pm: Mask Making

Saturday, October 25 from 6 - 8 pm: Bingo Match

Saturday, November 8 from 6 - 8 pm: Board Games and Wii Challenge

Friday, November 14 from 6 - 8 pm: Learn how to Bead

Saturday, November 22 from 6 - 8 pm: Bingo Match

Saturday, December 6 from 7 - 10 pm: Board Games and Wii Challenge

Sunday, December 7 from 5 - 7 pm: Make a Stress Relief Ball

Sponsored by Chalon Residence Life and Food Services



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Chalon Student News

ISSUE No. 4 Series 2008 | Friday, September 12, 2008 | Published by the Student Affairs

This Week at the Mount

Friday, September 12

- Friday Night Flicks — 7:00 pm — Hannon Theater
- Create a Dream Catcher program — 6:00 pm-8:00pm — Athenian Café
- Phi Alpha Delta Bake Sale — 12:00pm-2:00pm — Hannon Theater

Monday, September 15

- Sakura Society Boba Sale Hannon Theater — 10:30am-2:00pm — Brady Patio &
- Phi Alpha Delta Info Week — 5:30pm-9:00pm — Hannon Parlor
- "Why Phi Alpha Delta" — 6:00pm — Hannon Parlor

Tuesday, September 16

- Na Pua O' Ka Aina 1st Swap Meet — 10:00am-2:00pm — Hannon Theater
- Phi Alpha Delta Fundraiser #1 — 12:00pm-2:00pm — Hannon Patio
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- Phi Alpha Delta Election Coverage — 9:30pm — Hannon Parlor
- Learning Assistance Workshop — 4:30pm-5:30pm — H405B

Wednesday, September 17

- Lumpia Sale — 10:00am-2:00pm — Humanities Patio
- WISH Pizza Sale — 12:30pm-2:30pm — Hannon Theater

Thursday, September 18

- Alpha Phi Delta Lunch with the Candidate — 1:00pm — Visitor's Dining Room

Saturday, September 20

- Bingo Match — 6:00 pm-8:00 pm — Athenian Café

STUDENT PROGRAMMING AND COMMUTER SERVICES

Hum. 200A / (310) 954-4120

Attention ALL Students!!

Introducing Student Programming and Commuter Services!!

Looking for something to do on or off campus? Join the Student Programming office as we bring you new and fun activities all year long. Watch for announcements! Tell your friends! Come out and have a blast!



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Survival Tips to Stay on Top This Semester

From Counseling and Psychological Services

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From the President's Office

MASS at CHALON

Sunday, Sept. 14 at 10:30am

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This is our grand opportunity to say "thank you" to our donors who have made it possible to improve all our facilities at the Mount as well as to add to our scholarship funds.
There will not be a Mass at 7pm, but students will still be visiting the homeless in Santa Monica that evening.

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WWHAD!?

SAVE THE DATE: TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2008

Join career services & alumnae relations for our annual etiquette dinner in the Pompeian room at the Doheny mansion

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more information to come!



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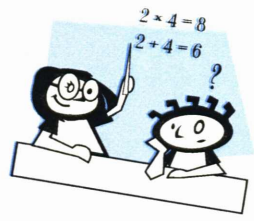
From the Office of Community Engagement
Doheny Building 3- (213) 477-2662

Wanted: AVID Tutors at Bunche Middle School!

Do you enjoy working with students?
Would you like to help students to go to college?
Seize this great opportunity, and have fun working with these kids!
Gain valuable work experience, earn hours for observation for your classes, and get paid for it!
Any major can apply, especially Math and Science majors!

Specifics:

- Maximum of 20 hours (flexible with your college schedule)
- $12.90 an hour
- Must be hired by the Compton Unified School District



Requirements:

- College Student
- Must enjoy working with younger students!



For more information contact:
Cecilia Ballardo
(310) 898 – 6010
Email: cballardo@compton.k12.ca.us

From the Office of Community Engagement
Attention Mount St. Mary's College Students!
BET TZEDEK
LEGAL SERVICES
has opened its doors to volunteers willing to help in their offices as well as in the courts!
Any students interested in law should contact
Yadira Garcia
(323) 549 - 5866

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Shuttle leaves Chalon at 5:45pm from the Circle
Sign up TODAY in the ISAE Office
$10 REFUNDABLE deposit required upon sign up
DINNER WILL BE PROVIDED!

PAID TUTORS NEEDED!
If you have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 and have received a B+ or better in a college class, then come to the Learning Center to pick up a tutor application! Enjoy flexible hours, bi-weekly pay and best of all, a great experience to include on your resume! Stop by the Learning Center (H-207) for more information!

Philosophy Classes Kicking your Butt?!?!
Do you need help with your philosophy classes? Do you need to develop your analytical or critical thinking skills? Are you planning to take the LSAT exam soon?
Then stop by the Learning Center to meet our new analytical skills tutor, Laura Berndt.
Laura's hours: MW: 9-10am; 1-2:30pm; 4:30-6:30 FRI: 9-10am

STUDENTS WITH A DISABILITY:

Please stop by the Learning Center and ask for Michele Lewis, Director of Learning Assistance Programs, to arrange for academic accommodations. We are in Humanities-207.

Student Ambassador Program

NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS!

Believe. if I can do it, so can you!

What is the Student Ambassador Program?



Student Ambassadors work with high school students and community partners, answering questions about preparation for college, college life, and financial aid. High School Ambassadors also provide support to high school counselors. Each Ambassador is assigned to a site and works an average of 10 to 12 hours per week.

All Ambassadors must:
~Be at least a second-semester freshman.
~Be able to provide their own transportation.
~Maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or better.
~Work a consistent 10-15 hours a week.
~Attend all training sessions and activities.
~Work effectively with groups & individuals representing a diversity of needs, socioeconomic backgrounds, & educational levels.

Contact person: Brooke Hogan, Program Coordinator

Phone: 213-477-2572
Fax: 213-477-2699
Email: bhogan@msmc.la.edu

ATTENTION COMMUTERS!

Indulge yourself with a **FREE** breakfast every Wednesday from 7:30am-10:30am on Brady Patio.

It's cool to carpool. Save time and gas money, register for the Carpool Program. Win great incentives like **FREE** Gas and **FREE** Meals.

Sign up in the Student Programming and Commuter Services office located in Humanities room 200A.

ATTENTION:
Students who are **Juniors or Seniors** in the traditional Bachelors program and have a 3.5 or higher cumulative GPA, please contact **Dr. Michele Dumont**, Professor of Philosophy and Woman Studies and Director of the Honors Program if you are considering doing an Honors Thesis this year or want more information on the Honors Thesis.





Open House at Health Services and Counseling & Psychological Services
September 24, 10AM-12PM. Come learn about our services and get special gifts!

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Chalon Student News

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This Week at the Mount

Saturday, September 20

• Bingo Match	6:00 pm-8:00 pm	Athenian Café
• Fire safety class	7:00 am- 1:00 pm	Rose Hills Aud. (D)

Sunday, September 21

• Hollywood Bowl Concert	5:45 pm- 11:00 pm	Meet at The Circle

Tuesday, September 23

• Jewelry and Accessories Sale	10:00 am- 5:00 pm	The Circle
• Mind and Spirit Concert	1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Hannon Theatre

Wednesday, September 24

• CPS & Health Services Open House	10:00am- 12:00 pm	H100

Friday, September 26

• Friday Night Flick: The Golden Compass	7:00 pm- 9:30 pm	Hannon Theatre

ROCK THE VOTE!! **2 ways to Register to Vote:**

1. **Visit the Women's Leadership office on the Ground Floor of Leavey Commons at Chalon or in Building 7 at Doheny to pick up a Voter Registration Form**

OR

2. **Register online at the CA Secretary of State's website: http://www.sos.ca.gov/**

Get involved in the political process!

Watch the upcoming presidential and vice-presidential debates and make an informed choice when you exercise your Constitutional right to vote!



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TWO GREAT OPPORTUNITIES:



Women, Law, & Public Policy:
November 7 - 9, 2008

Women & Science/Technology Policy:
January 5 - 9, 2009

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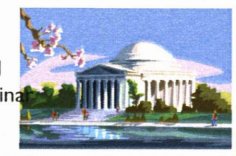
Applications are available in our office or on our website:
www.msmc.la.edu/pages/2989.asp

PICK UP AN APPLICATION TODAY!

CHALON: Ground Floor, Leavey Commons
DOHENY: Building 7

FULL and PARTIAL **SCHOLARSHIPS** AVAILABLE!

APPLICATIONS DUE
Friday, September 26, 2008 for the Women, Law, & Public Policy Seminar and
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(Be sure to sign up for an interview time when you submit your application)





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So what can Career Services offer you?

Top 10 reasons to utilize us!

1. Individual career counseling to discuss your career goals
2. Receive help with resumes, cover letters and job acceptance/decline/interest letters
3. Practice or strengthen interviewing skills with a career counselor or online with "Perfect Interview"
4. Explore graduate and professional school options
5. Research internship and employment opportunities
6. Receive assistance on how to search for jobs and internships through the Mount Career Network (MCN)
7. Check out our extensive Career Library with books on major choices, career options, career exploration and graduate school/exam information - for free!
8. Take free assessment tools such as the Strong Interest Inventory Assessment to determine careers based on your interests
9. Discover careers you have never considered or ones that coincide with your major
10. Workshops, alumnae panels, career fairs and our annual Etiquette Dinner allow you to enhance your professional identity, network and learn new skills

Your future: How Sweet It Is!

Drop-in or schedule an appointment! Humanities 401, (310)954-4070



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The World Behind The World

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Celebrate mythic imagination and Michael Meade's new book ***The World Behind the World***
~ Donation Suggested ~ *Proceeds support Voices of Youth, Voices of Vets, and Intercultural Projects*

Saturday, September 20 ~ 9:30 am to 5:30 pm, Student Lounge

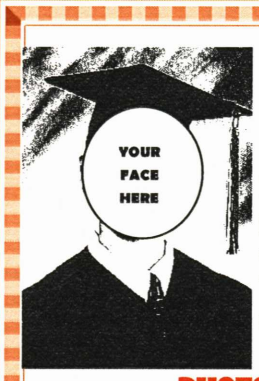
Workshop: Inner Life, Outer Work: *Following Spirit, Making Soul*

This event will benefit those doing: creative work, community building, therapy and guidance, mentoring, social activism, teaching, healing and spiritual development.

Cost: $85 for intensive workshop Confirmation letters with further information will be mailed upon receipt of registration.

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO REGISTER VISIT THE MOSAIC WEBSITE AT: WWW.MOSAICVOICES.ORG

CONTACT THE MOSAIC OFFICE AT: 206-935-3665.



ATTENTION SENIORS!

WANT A CHANCE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE YEARBOOK?

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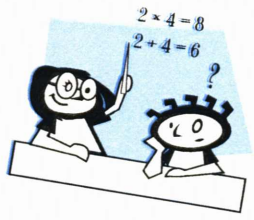
From the Office of Community Engagement
Doheny Building 3- (213) 477-2662

Wanted: AVID Tutors at Bunche Middle School!

Do you enjoy working with students?
Would you like to help students to go to college?
Seize this great opportunity, and have fun working with these kids!
Gain valuable work experience, earn hours for observation for your classes, and get paid for it!
Any major can apply, especially Math and Science majors!

Specifics:

- Maximum of 20 hours (flexible with your college schedule)
- $12.90 an hour
- Must be hired by the Compton Unified School District



Requirements:

- College Student
- Must enjoy working with younger students!



For more information contact:
Cecilia Ballardo
(310) 898 – 6010
Email: cballardo@compton.k12.ca.us

From the Office of Community Engagement
Attention Mount St. Mary's College Students!

BET TZEDEK LEGAL SERVICES

has opened its doors to volunteers willing to help in their offices as well as in the courts!
Any students interested in law should contact
Yadira Garcia
(323) 549 - 5866

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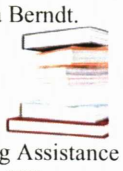
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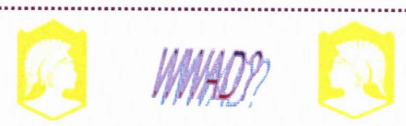
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with no pressure, and with no assumptions!

(And, yes, this *is* for faculty and staff as well as all students).

Student Ambassador Program

NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS!
Believe. if I can do it, so can you!
What is the Student Ambassador Program?

Student Ambassadors work with high school students and community partners, answering questions about preparation for college, college life, and financial aid. High School Ambassadors also provide support to high school counselors. Each Ambassador is assigned to a site and works an average of 10 to 12 hours per week.

All Ambassadors must:
~Be at least a second-semester freshman.
~Be able to provide their own transportation.
~Maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or better.
~Work a consistent 10-15 hours a week.
~Attend all training sessions and activities.
~Work effectively with groups & individuals representing a diversity of needs, socioeconomic backgrounds, & educational levels.



Contact person: Brooke Hogan, Program Coordinator

Phone: 213-477-2572
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Email: bhogan@msmc.la.edu

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Open House at Health Services and Counseling & Psychological Services
September 24, 10AM-12PM. Come learn about our services and get special gifts!

DPT Fourth Annual Research Forum

The Department of Physical Therapy invites you to attend the presentation of original research by the Doctor of Physical Therapy Program's Class of 2008.

Event Info:
Rose Hills Auditorium - Doheny Campus
Thursday, October 2, 2008
3:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

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• Jewelry and Accessories Sale	10:00am-5:00pm	The Circle
• Mind and Spirit Concert	1:00pm-2:00pm	Hannon Theatre

Wednesday, October 1

• RA Selection (Phase 1)	Begins	Brady 101
• ASB Blood Drive	7:00am-4:00pm	Campus Center

ROCK THE VOTE!! **2 ways to Register to Vote:**

1. **Visit the Women's Leadership office on the Ground Floor of Leavey Commons at Chalon or in Building 7 at Doheny to pick up a Voter Registration Form**

OR

2. **Register online at the CA Secretary of State's website: http://www.sos.ca.gov/**

Get involved in the political process!

Watch the upcoming presidential and vice-presidential debates and make an informed choice when you exercise your Constitutional right to vote!



Brought to You by Women's Leadership



STUDENT PROGRAMMING AND COMMUTER SERVICES

Hum. 200A / (310) 954-4120

Attention ALL Students!!

Introducing Student Programming and Commuter Services!!

Looking for something to do on or off campus? Join the Student Programming office as we bring you new and fun activities all year long. Watch for announcements! Tell your friends! Come out and have a blast!



New this year – **FREE** movies on Fridays! Join us for Friday Night Flicks at 7:00pm in Hannon Theater.

Mount and the City Weekends

Once the school week is done, weekend programming brings the fun! Join us for Mount and the City Weekends. Stop by the Student Programming and Commuter Services office to sign up for our weekend events. Events are FREE!! Transportation provided. Student ID with current semester sticker required. Limit one ticket per student. Get off the mountain and explore L.A.

Come and Listen!

In cooperation with the Young Artists Concerts of Mount St Mary's College, the Music Department is pleased to present the Young Artists Concerts Orchestra's performance on Saturday, September 27 at 7:30 p.m. at the Wilshire Ebell Theater. The orchestra will be conducted by Mount Music Faculty Chet Swiatkowski, and will feature highly gifted students of Hak Soon and Chet Swiatkowski. The concert will include Concertos by Beethoven, Chopin, Liszt, Rachmaninoff and should be an especially beautiful concert.

We would like to invite you to enjoy this special cultural event of our College!



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Career Services

(Hum. 401—310-954-4070)

So what can Career Services offer you?

Top 10 reasons to utilize us!

1. Individual career counseling to discuss your career goals
2. Receive help with resumes, cover letters and job acceptance/decline/interest letters
3. Practice or strengthen interviewing skills with a career counselor or online with "Perfect Interview"
4. Explore graduate and professional school options
5. Research internship and employment opportunities
6. Receive assistance on how to search for jobs and internships through the Mount Career Network (MCN)
7. Check out our extensive Career Library with books on major choices, career options, career exploration and graduate school/exam information - for free!
8. Take free assessment tools such as the Strong Interest Inventory Assessment to determine careers based on your interests
9. Discover careers you have never considered or ones that coincide with your major
10. Workshops, alumnae panels, career fairs and our annual Etiquette Dinner allow you to enhance your professional identity, network and learn new skills

Your future: How Sweet It Is!

Drop-in or schedule an appointment! Humanities 401, (310)954-4070

Academic Advisement

ATTENTION

Thinking of Changing your Major? Adding a Minor? In order to ensure a change to your Academic Program listing and new advisor assignment prior to Advisement Period we encourage you to submit the necessary form by October 1, 2008.

ATTENTION Pre-Nursing Students: Learn more about the BSN Admissions and eligibility requirements directly from a Nursing Department Representative. Get an overview of GE's in preparation for Advising Period. October 16, 2008 Hannon Theatre from 1:00pm – 2:00pm.

Study Abroad --Globalize Yourself!!!

American Institute for Foreign Study (AIFS) Representative on campus **October 2, 2008** from 11:00am – 2:00pm in the Hannon Theatre Foyer for Study Abroad information. Argentina, Spain, South Africa, and more… Find out how you can participate! **Spring 2009 Deadline: November 3, 2008!!!!**

ADVISEMENT PERIOD for Spring 2009 is just around the corner (begins October 20, 2008)! Stay on top of your requirements and run a Program Evaluation from WebAdvisor.

Academic Advisement Mon-Fri, 8:00am to 4:30pm 310-954-4070/H401
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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
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TAKE A MEMORABLE TRIP TO WASHINGTON, D.C.!



TWO GREAT OPPORTUNITIES:

Women, Law, & Public Policy:
November 7 - 9, 2008

Women & Science/Technology Policy:
January 5 - 9, 2009

Applications for PLEN Seminars are available in the Women's Leadership & Orientation Office. To attend the PLEN seminar, students must: 1) be Sophomores, Juniors, or Seniors, 2) have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0, and 3) express a strong interest in public service and public policy.

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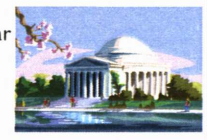
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CHALON: Ground Floor, Leavey Commons
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FULL and PARTIAL **SCHOLARSHIPS** AVAILABLE!

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Chalon's VISITING the HOMELESS program

Magnificat House Christian Living Community Blessing and Open House
Sunday, Sept. 28 immediately following Mass
Rossiter 1st Floor
The Magnificat House is comprised of six Mount Students living together as a community.
Come help bless their living space and hear about their mission and opportunities for small group faith sharing.

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Is it in you?



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All undergraduate residents and commuters are welcome to apply.

Applications will be available **Monday, Sept. 29, 2008** at the Residence Life Office and due on **Friday, October 24, 2008** by 4:30 pm to the Residence Life Office at Chalon or Doheny.

Come learn more about the position at the following Information Sessions:

Chalon Campus	Doheny Campus
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Sociology Department's Social Work Program

Attention:
Columbia University School of Social Work (CUSSW) will be hosting an information session about their Masters in Social Work (MSW) program on Thursday, October 2, 2008 in H204 from 1-2pm. Come learn about the nation's first and one of the finest MSW programs.

Please let me know if you need more information.
-Michelle Melendres ex. 4206 or email at mlmelendres@msmc.la.edu

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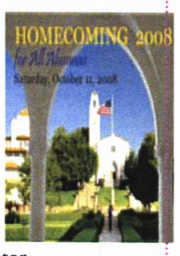
CPS Tip of the Week:
Depression versus "the Blues."
Everyone feels sad (or "blue") from time to time. The "blues" are usually the result of events which occur in everyday life that cause sadness and stress, such as failing an exam, a relationship break-up, and difficulties at work. The "blues" tend to lessen with time whereas depression tends to be more persistent. Symptoms of depression can be: prolonged feelings of sadness, hopelessness, changes in appetite that result in weight loss or weight gain not related to dieting, insomnia or oversleeping, loss of energy or increased fatigue, restlessness or irritability, feelings of worthlessness, difficulty concentrating, or plans to hurt yourself or others. For more help managing the "blues," depression or other issues, contact Counseling and Psychological Services (CPS) at (310) 954-4114.

MSMC COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER FAIR
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9
12 NOON–2:00 P.M.
IN THE CHALON CAMPUS CENTER

- **MEET REPRESENTATIVES FROM OVER 30 NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS, INCLUDING**
- **A PLACE CALLED HOME**
- **PADRES CONTRA EL CANCER**
- **CHILDREN, YOUTH & FAMILY COLLABORATIVE**
- **CENTER FOR THE PACIFIC ASIAN FAMILY**
- **ALEXANDRIA HOUSE**
- **CARONDELET CENTER**
- **AND MANY MORE**

Remember to bring your resume!

The Alumnae Association is pleased to invite you to be a part of
HOMECOMING 2008
and participate in this year's Homecoming Workshops as our guest.



Saturday, October 11, 2008
Homecoming 2008 Workshops

Track I 12:30-2:00 p.m.
A) Steps to Health and Fitness- Presenter: Lindsay Connors '03, MSMC Fitness Coordinator
B) Learning and Memory: From Newborn Neurons to Alzheimer's Disease...and Back Again
Presenter: Jennifer K. Chotiner, Assistant Professor, MSMC Biology Dept.
C) Fun with Florals, the Magic of Flowers- Presenter: Leah Horrigan, Owner of Flowers by Leah **($10 fee payable to instructor)** Take home your own flower arrangement.
D) Nursing: Making a Difference, One Story at a Time- Presenter: Rosanne Sigler Curtis '79, MSMC Dean of Nursing

Track II 2:15-3:45 p.m.
A) Analysis of the 2008 Presidential Election Season- Presenter: Helen Boutrous, Chair, MSMC History and Political Science Dept.
B) The Should-a,Would-a, Could-a, of Money: If Only I Knew Then What I know Now!- Presenter: Gayne A. Pinto '87, District Leader, Primerica Financial Services
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Come join us at the workshops. We look forward to meeting you!
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Tuesday, October 7
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- World Mental Health Day — 4:00pm-11:00pm — Hannon Theater

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ELECTION 2008

ROCK THE VOTE!!

Do not miss the **2nd Presidential Debate Watching Party**

What: Live candidate action and FREE Pizza or snacks (for a limited time)
When: Tuesday, October 7th at 6:00PM
Where: Chalon Student Lounge or Doheny Wigwam

THERE IS STILL TIME TO REGISTER TO VOTE! Voter Registration Materials must be submitted or postmarked no later than October 20, 2008 to vote in the November 4, 2008 election https://ovr.sos.ca.gov/votereg/OnlineVoterReg.

From the Office of Community Engagement

MSMC COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER FAIR
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9
12 NOON—2:00 P.M.
IN THE CHALON

MEET REPRESENTATIVES FROM NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS, INCLUDING
- **CHILDREN, YOUTH & FAMILY COLLABORATIVE**
- **CENTER FOR THE PACIFIC ASIAN FAMILY**
- **A PLACE CALLED HOME**
- **CHILDREN UNITING NATIONS**
- **STUDENTS RUN L.A.**
- **PADRES CONTRA EL CANCER**
- **HABITAT FOR HUMANITY**
- **AND MANY MORE**

Remember to bring your resume!

TAKE A MEMORABLE TRIP TO WASHINGTON, D.C.!

TWO GREAT OPPORTUNITIES:

Women, Law, & Public Policy:
November 7 - 9, 2008

Women & Science/Technology Policy:
January 5 - 9, 2009

Applications for PLEN Seminars are available in the Women's Leadership & Orientation Office. To attend the PLEN seminar, students must: 1) be Sophomores, Juniors, or Seniors, 2) have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0, and 3) express a strong interest in public service and public policy.

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www.msmc.la.edu/pages/2989.asp

PICK UP AN APPLICATION TODAY!

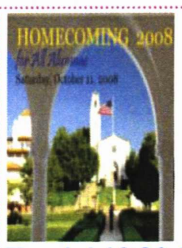
CHALON: Ground Floor, Leavey Commons
DOHENY: Building 7

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The Alumnae Association is pleased to invite you to be a part of

HOMECOMING 2008

and participate in this year's Homecoming Workshops as our guest.

Saturday, October 11, 2008
Homecoming 2008 Workshops

Track I 12:30-2:00 p.m.

A) Steps to Health and Fitness- Presenter: Lindsay Connors '03, MSMC Fitness Coordinator
B) Learning and Memory: From Newborn Neurons to Alzheimer's Disease...and Back Again
Presenter: Jennifer K. Chotiner, Assistant Professor, MSMC Biology Dept.
C) Fun with Florals, the Magic of Flowers- Presenter: Leah Horrigan, Owner of Flowers by Leah **($10 fee payable to instructor)** Take home your own flower arrangement.
D) Nursing: Making a Difference, One Story at a Time- Presenter: Rosanne Sigler Curtis '79, MSMC Dean of Nursing

Track II 2:15-3:45 p.m.

A) Analysis of the 2008 Presidential Election Season- Presenter: Helen Boutrous, Chair, MSMC History and Political Science Dept.
B) The Should-a,Would-a, Could-a, of Money: If Only I Knew Then What I know Now!- Presenter: Gayne A. Pinto '87, District Leader, Primerica Financial Services
C) Belly Dancing for Fun and Relaxation- Presenter: Christine Doll, Belly Dance and Fire Spinner
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Come join us at the workshops. We look forward to meeting you!

To register please contact Elizabeth Jimenez at 213.477.2767 or email erobles@msmc.la.edu

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BUSY PERSON'S RETREAT
Oct. 5 - 9
Sponsored by the Sisters of St. Joseph.
Don't miss this on-campus time for retreat, integrating prayer and study and to pray alone and together with others using a variety of prayer forms. Meetings with a Retreat Director scheduled at a mutually convenient time. Nothing to bring, just an open heart and mind!
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From the Sisters of St. Joseph:
WITNESS AGAINST HUMAN TRAFFICKING
11:00am - noon on Oct. 3
Everyone is welcome to consider witnessing to our opposition to Modern Day Slavery/Human Trafficking on **first Fridays** by standing silently for one hour every month in a visible and consistent location.

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24 hours a day on the web: http://www.msmc.la.edu/cm
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- DO use a conditioner after every wash to help keep hair moisturized and protected against damage.
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Psychology Club

On behalf of the Psychology Club, I wish to speak about World Mental Health Day, which will be held on Tuesday, October 7. World Mental Health Day is a global event that that rallies awareness of mental health disorders. In commemoration of the day, The Psychology Club will be screening A Beautiful Mind in Hannon Theater. There will be an optional dinner at 5:30 P.M. and the film will commence at 6:00 P.M.
Thank you for your time.
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Is it in you?



If these characteristics describe you, then we want you to apply for the **RESIDENT ASSISTANT** position for the 2009-2010 academic year!

All undergraduate residents and commuters are welcome to apply.

Applications will be available **Monday, Sept. 29, 2008** at the Residence Life Office and due on **Friday, October 24, 2008** by 4:30 pm to the Residence Life Office at Chalon or Doheny.

Come learn more about the position at the following Information Sessions:

Chalon Campus	Doheny Campus
Thursday, October 2, 2008 5:30 pm to 6:00 pm Brady 1st Floor Lounge	Thursday, October 2, 2008 5:30 pm to 6:00 pm Hannon Hall Lounge

For more information please contact Residence Life at Doheny: (213) 477-2661 or Chalon: (310) 954-4325.

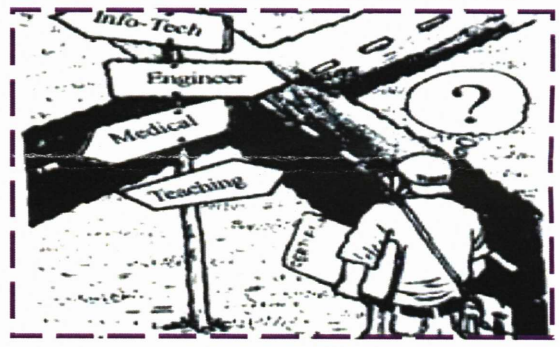
Unsure about what you want to be when you grow up?
Curious about what jobs will be up and coming in the future?
Join Career Services at "Top 15 Careers You've Never Heard Of"

Date: Thursday, October 16

Time: 1:00-2:00 p.m.

Location: Humanities Building, Room 204

Cost: FREE!



For more information or to RSVP:
Contact Career Services
(310) 954-4070

Academic Advisement

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This Week at the Mount

Friday, October 10

• Mask Making	6:00pm-8:00 pm	Cafeteria
• Halloween Grams	9:00am-1:00pm	Hannon Theater

Sunday, October 12

• ISAE Fall Fling	1:00pm-4:00pm	Doheny

Tuesday, October 14

• 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament sign ups		Fitness Center
• Wish Symposium	9:00am-3:00pm	Campus Center
• Jewelry Sale	10:00am-5:00pm	The Circle
• Sigma Theta Psi Breast Cancer awareness info table	11:00am-2:00pm	Hannon Patio
• Theta Alpha Sigma Nacho & Lemonade Sale	11:00am-2:00pm	Hannon Patio

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• Swim Meet	5:00pm-6:00pm	Fitness Center

WWAD?

SAVE THE DATE: *TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2008*

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Join career services & alumnae relations for our annual etiquette dinner in the Pompeian room at the Doheny mansion

Contact career@msmc.la.edu with questions

more information to come!

ATTENTION SENIORS!

WANT A CHANCE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE YEARBOOK?

This is your opportunity to take your graduation portraits and come out in the yearbook, which everyone will receive in August 2009. You will also be able to purchase packages for family and friends.



PHOTOS WILL BE TAKEN OCTOBER 27, 28, AND 29

More information will be provided in future issues of Chalon Student News

Questions? *Please call the Student Affairs Office at (310) 954-4130.*

HOW GAME ARE YOU?

We're looking for that one 3 player team that rules the court with an iron fist!

If you think you can handle it, Challenge others who think likewise!

October 14th, 7 pm

@ the Fitness Center Basketball Courts

Requirements:

Make sure to sign up in the office prior to the date. We want to make sure we match you up evenly.

This Tourney is Co-ed! So the teams must contain **two (2) girls** and **one (1) guy** and **one (1) alternate**.

THE WINNING TEAM WILL BE RECOGNIZED AND HAVE BRAGGING RIGHTS OF COURSE!

If there are any questions, come to the **Fitness Center** or log onto our Facebook page.

Contact the Fitness Center for question ex. 4345

Learning Assistance Programs/ISAE

H-207-(310) 954-4144

ISAE Students!!!

It's time to celebrate the beautiful autumn season with ISAE's FALL FESTIVAL FLING!

Join ISAE on October 12th at Doheny from 1-4pm for lots of FOOD, GAMES and FUN!!!

Dress code is casual and comfortable!

Shuttle leaves Chalon at 12:15pm from the Circle

Sign up TODAY in the ISAE Office!

$5 REFUNDABLE deposit required when you sign up

LAP WORKSHOPS

Your Personal Statement for Grad School!
The workshop will cover the following:

- Proper "tone" and "scope" of your personal statement
- Personalizing your statement to exude your unique self
- Importance of researching graduate schools you wish to apply to
- The benefit of networking through E-mail with the graduate program of your choice

...And more!!!

Sign up TODAY in front of the Learning Center!
Tuesday 10/14 4:30-5:30pm

Laptop Loan Program for ISAE Students

Update: Laptops are now available for check out

Reminders: Laptop checkouts are for 2 nights, 3 days and they are due by NOON on the 3rd day. Late return may result in termination of your checkout privileges.

Sign-Up TODAY outside the Learning Center H207 or phone Daniel @ x4142 for details.

Workshop dates:

PAID TUTORS NEEDED!

If you have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 and have received a B+ or better in a college class, then come to the Learning Center to pick up a tutor application! Enjoy flexible hours, bi-weekly pay and best of all, a great experience to include on your resume! Stop by the Learning Center (H-207) for more information!

Need help in Philosophy???

Do you need help with your philosophy classes or writing your philosophy papers?
Do you need to develop your analytical or critical thinking skills? Are you planning to take the LSAT exam soon?
Then stop by the Learning Center to meet our analytical skills tutor, Laura Berndt!
Laura's hours: M: 8-10am; MW: 1-2:30pm; 4:30-6:30 FRI: 9-10am

ELECTION 2008

FINAL PRESIDENTIAL DEBATE WATCHING PARTY

What: Live candidate action and FREE Pizza (until it runs out!)
When: Wednesday, October 15th at 6:00PM
Where: Chalon, Student Lounge or Doheny, Wigwam

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Dear Students,

It's my pleasure to invite you to a night of open-mic poetry.

Yeah, poetry! You know, when Allan Ginsberg and Jack Kerouac and Sylvia Plath would get up in front of a microphone and read their poems to people in a coffee house, drinking strong espresso & smoking bad cigarettes and howling out about love & death & guys & women & burnt-out Chevys.

Okay, so we can't smoke in the cafeteria. I might burn some toast in order to set the mood.....

When? TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14. From 7 to 9 pm, in the cafe part of the cafeteria at Chalon. And thanks to Jotanna Proescholdt of Bon Appétit, the Coffee Bar will feature a discounted specialty drink a toasted marshmallow mocha. All resident students can use their weekly rate to purchase all coffee drinks from 7 to 9 pm.

I will be your host and MC. If you'd like to READ some of your own poetry, tell me, I'll put you on the list. Also, if you have a favorite poet whose poem you'd like to read aloud (I think it'd be sooo cool for instance to have someone get up & read Sylvia Plath's "Daddy"), bienvenidos!

Bring your friends & mates, to a relaxing night of listening to poetry, a few stories, and just hanging out. Call me at x4241 if you've any questions, or email me.

Best,
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Dead Poet Society, MSMC

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Career Services

So what can Career Services offer you? Top 10 reasons to utilize us!

1. Individual career counseling to discuss your career goals
2. Receive help with resumes, cover letters and job acceptance/decline/interest letters
3. Practice or strengthen interviewing skills with a career counselor or online with "Perfect Interview"
4. Explore graduate and professional school options
5. Research internship and employment opportunities
6. Receive assistance on how to search for jobs and internships through the Mount Career Network (MCN)
7. Check out our extensive Career Library with books on major choices, career options, career exploration and graduate school/exam information- for free!
8. Take free assessment tools such as the Strong Interest Inventory Assessment to determine careers based on your interests
9. Discover careers you have never considered or ones that coincide with your major
10. Workshops, alumnae panels, career fairs and our annual Etiquette Dinner allow you to enhance your professional identity, network and learn new skills

Your future: How Sweet It Is
Drop-in or schedule an appointment! Humanities 401, (310)954-4070

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More details coming soon.

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Did you know...

Physical Therapy: it's all about movement
American Physical Therapy Association



October is National Physical Therapy Month!

Join in the fun and learn more about Physical Therapy. You will have the opportunity to participate in various activities on campus throughout the month to learn about PT and win prizes! Check your email for weekly details. Please come visit our table set out in front of Ahmanson Commons (Doheny Campus) and participate in the various activities we have planned.

October 13-17: Nutrition & Exercise
October 20-24: Wrap up Week





*Volleyball tournament *Self-Defense class
*Pilates class *Relay Race
*Jump rope competition

Tip Of The Week: Growing Long Beautiful Hair

- DO use a root-lifter spray to achieve volume; avoid excessive teasing of hair, as it can uplift cuticles, making them fragile and susceptible to breakage.
- DON'T over brush hair; despite the common myth that 100 strokes a day are good for hair, this can lead to breakage. Regular, gentle brushing promotes hair health and natural oil distribution.

2007 CAMPUS SECURITY REPORTS ARE NOW AVAILABLE

In compliance with the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Crime Statistics Act, the 2007 Annual Security Reports have been published and are available for students, faculty, staff and prospective students.

You can pick one up at:
Student Affairs H200
Campus Security or
Residence Life Office



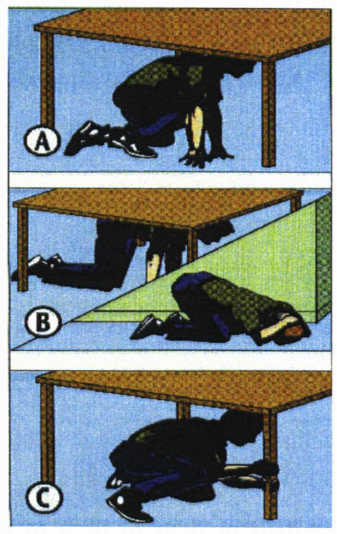
BE PREPARED EARTHQUAKES

How to prepare for an earthquake:

Check for hazards at home.
Fasten shelves securely to walls and place large or heavy objects on lower shelves.
Store breakable items such as bottled foods, glass, and china in low, closed cabinets with latches and avoid hanging pictures or mirrors above places where people may sit.
Repair defective electrical wiring and leaky gas connections. These are potential fire risks.

Locate safe areas within and outside the home
Avoid glass and heavy book cases indoors, and stay away from buildings, trees, and electrical lines.
Ideally, sturdy furniture would be sufficient.

Supplies
Flashlight
Portable radio.
Extra batteries.
First aid kit with any personal medications
Emergency food and water.



In the event that an earthquake does occur:
- **DROP** to the ground, take **COVER** under something sturdy, such as a table or desk and **HOLD ON**.
- Stay away from glass, hung pictures, and anything that may fall, such as chandeliers.
- If you happen to be in your bed, protect your head with a pillow.
- Load-bearing doorways are ideal places to take cover, as they are designed to withstand heavy loads.
- Stay inside until the shaking has stopped.

Do not use elevators and be aware that the electricity may have gone out.

For more information regarding earthquake preparedness, visit
http://www.fema.gov/hazard/earthquake/index.shtm

DONATE CANDY FOR DOHENY'S HAUNTED CAMPUS!

The class that donates the most candy will win an ice cream party, and their donation will be me matched by Student Affairs!

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"Iron Jawed Angels" Movie Screening	7:00pm-9:30pm	Hannon Theater

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• Dodge ball Tournament	7:00pm	Fitness Center

Thursday, October 23

• Talent Showcase Auditions	7:00pm-9:00pm	H506
• Breast Cancer Awareness	12:00pm-2:00pm	The Circle
• Alpha Tau Delta Halloween Social	7:00pm-9:30pm	Campus Center

Saturday, October 25

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Monday, October 27

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The Candidates are Coming!!!





"Republican Vice Presidential Candidate Sarah Palin" and "Democratic Vice Presidential Candidate Joseph Biden" will debate one week from today at the Doheny Campus!!

Yes! It is true! On **Tuesday, October 21st, 1-2 pm** in the Rose Hills Auditorium, Doheny Campus, come see **"Governor Sarah Palin"** and **"Senator Joseph Biden"** debate the issues of the day!

Then, in two weeks, come see "Republican Presidential Nominee Senator John McCain" debate the "Democratic Presidential Nominee, Senator Barack Obama," at the Chalon Campus!! Yes, true again!



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PHOTOS WILL BE TAKEN OCTOBER 27, 28, AND 29

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Sitting fee = $10.00

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Then enjoy cookies and conversation immediately after Mass!
Want to be a lector, Eucharistic Minister, usher or altar server at one of the Masses?
Contact Alissa Pineda or Linda Quilizapa for details on how you can get involved.



Chalon's VISITING the HOMELESS program
Sunday, Oct. 19
Prepare meals at 5:45pm in Campus Ministry before Mass (7pm)
Come to Mass and be blessed before you deliver the food at **8:15pm** to the homeless of Santa Monica.
Contact Joanne Ruiz for more info.



COOKIES and MILK
Monday, Oct .20 at 2:00pm in the Campus Ministry offices
Humanities 1st Floor at Chalon and House 7 at Doheny
They are freshly baked and they go fast — don't miss them! All are welcome!

****CLC WILL NOT TAKE PLACE THIS TUESDAY: Oct. 21, 2008****
CLC will return Tuesday Oct. 28, 2008

Visiting the Sisters
Thursday October 23rd, 3-4pm
Meet at the flag pole in the circle and walk down to the Carondelet Center. Visit with our retired Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet. You will be so glad you did!

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Guided by MSF aid workers, visitors are asked to imagine that they are among the millions of people fleeing violence and persecution in, for example, Somalia, Colombia, the Democratic Republic of Congo, or Sudan. The exhibit is made up of materials used by MSF in its emergency medical work around the world, including emergency refugee housing, a food distribution tent, water pump, health clinic, vaccination tent, therapeutic feeding center, and a cholera treatment center. The exhibit is free and open to the public. Please allow 40-60 minutes for the tour. Reservations are recommended for groups of 15 or more.

For more info on the Los Angeles Camp:
http://www.doctorswithoutborders.org/education/refugeecamp/event/?id=losangeles
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4. Explore graduate and professional school options
5. Research internship and employment opportunities
6. Receive assistance on how to search for jobs and internships through the Mount Career Network (MCN)
7. Check out our extensive Career Library with books on major choices, career options, career exploration and graduate school/exam information- for free!
8. Take free assessment tools such as the Strong Interest Inventory Assessment to determine careers based on your interests
9. Discover careers you have never considered or ones that coincide with your major
10. Workshops, alumnae panels, career fairs and our annual Etiquette Dinner allow you to enhance your professional identity, network and learn new skills

Your future: How Sweet It Is
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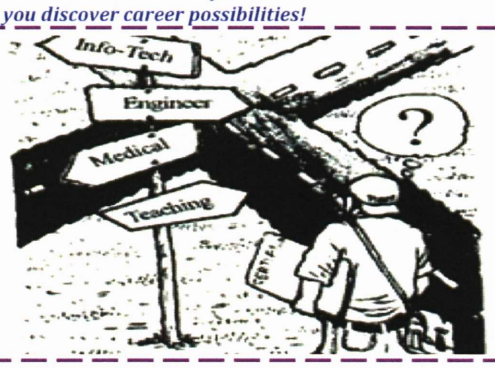
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LAST CHANCE TO REGISTER TO VOTE!

Pick up Voter Registration Materials in the Women's Leadership Office located in Leavey Commons or online at https://ovr.sos.ca.gov/votereg/OnlineVoterReg. The submission deadline is **October 20, 2008**. For questions please contact us at (310) 954-4350 or leadership@msmc.la.edu.

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DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION IS NOVEMBER 15, 2008.

Reminder About E-mail

Your new email domain is: @mymsmc.la.edu

You will have access you your Groupwise email account until December 31, 2008.

REMINDER

Learning Assistance Programs/ISAE

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WHEN THE TESTING GETS TOUGH, THE TEST TAKER SHOULD BE
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Learn how at this LAP Workshop. Sign up TODAY outside the Learning Center!



T 10/21	4:30-5:30pm	H-405B
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DID YOU KNOW...

It takes 6 ponytails to make a wig. Get together five of your friends and be part of

Pantene Pro Vs
Beautiful Lengths

so YOU can provide 1 wig for a woman in need!!!

Will YOU take the challenge and make the CUT?



2007 CAMPUS SECURITY REPORTS ARE NOW AVAILABLE

In compliance with the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Crime Statistics Act, the 2007 Annual Security Reports have been published and are available for students, faculty, staff and prospective students.

You can pick one up at:
Student Affairs H200
Campus Security or
Residence Life Office



CPS Tip of the Week: How to fight PROCRASTINATION. Pick the best time and place to study. Find a balance between work and entertainment – find time to relax and rest. Break big projects into smaller parts and set deadlines. Look at old patterns and find what worked well and eliminate what did not. Make lists and prioritize items. Do the most important task first. Use a calendar to track progress. Ask for advice or help when needed. Reward yourself for completing hard tasks. For more help with procrastination or other issues, contact **Counseling and Psychological Services (CPS) at (310) 954-4114.**

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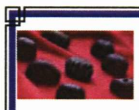
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All Chalon, Doheny & Off Campus Guests Invited

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Sponsored by Doheny ASB



"Life is like a box of chocolates...you never know what you're gonna get!"
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...And Majors are like that too!!

Come and join the **Academic Advisement Team** to explore General Studies and various offered majors at MSMC!

UNWRAP THE POSSIBILITIES ON...

When: October 23, 2008 (Thursday)
Where: H 403
Time 1-2 p.m.



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Friday

- **Mount and the City Movie Night**
 - 5:30 PM El Capitan Theater
- **Doheny ASB Halloween Party**
 - 6:00 PM Donohue Center



Saturday

- **Bingo Match**
 - 6:00 PM Athenian Café



Sunday

- **Special Blessings Mass**
 - 7:00pm Mercy Chapel
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Don't forget your $10 REFUNDABLE deposit when you sign up.
Shuttle will leave Chalon at 6:00pm

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WE AREN'T SO SCARY...

Friendly nurses from the Student Health Center are waiting for you!
Come to the first Outdoor Flu Clinic

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31
HUMANITIES 4TH FLOOR PATIO
12 NOON-2 PM

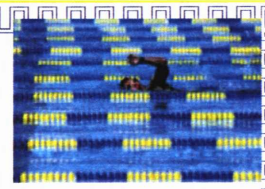


The flu vaccine is $15 and comes with a special Halloween treat!



WHAT'S YOUR RACE?

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• Cookies!	2:00pm	Campus Ministry

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• Christian Living Community	1:00pm-2:00pm	Mary Chapel
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• Running In High Heels	7:00 PM	Hannon Theater

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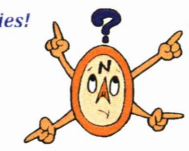
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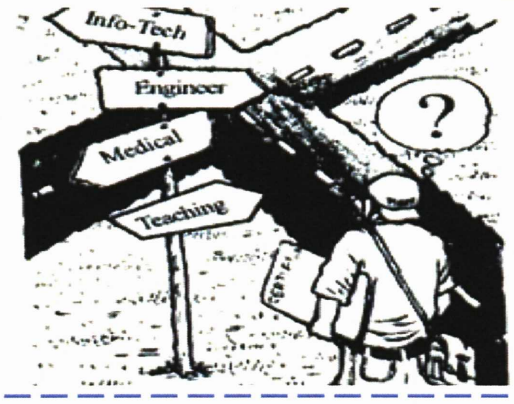
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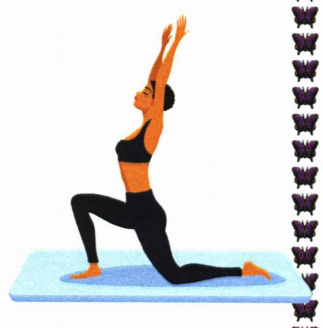
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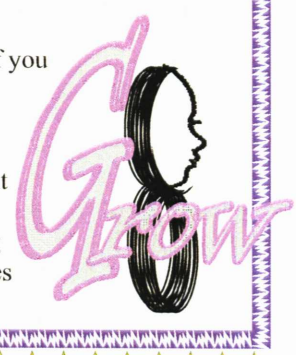


For Your Information

SCARED TO MAKE THE CUT???

How do I know if short hair will work for me?

Nearly everybody looks good with short hair! Think about it – if you look good in a ponytail, you'll almost certainly look great with short hair. First, you need to understand the silhouette of your face and identify your best features, because you want your new cut to complement them. Pulling all of your hair back into a tight ponytail will give you the best view. Once you know your silhouette, pull pictures of different hairstyles you like and bring them to your stylist. Together, you can explore which short styles will work for your hair texture and lifestyle.



Thank you to all the Mount Staff and Fire Crews who responded to the Sepulveda Pass Fire, and ensured the safety of the Chalon Campus!!!

Thank You

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Chalon Student News

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This Weekend at the Mount

Friday 10/31

- Doheny Haunted Campus 6:00 PM





Saturday 11/1

All Saints Day

- Mount and the City: 11:00 AM Olvera Street
 Dia de los Muertos



Sunday 11/2



No Parking 8:00am-5:00pm
Behind The Chapel, Brady Hall, Rossiter Hall, and the Tennis Courts

- Mass 7:00-8:00 PM Mary Chapel



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Opportunities for November 3-7

GET OUT and VOTE!

VOTER SHUTTLES AVAILABLE on ELECTION DAY!

NOVEMBER 4, 2008



If you are a resident and registered to vote using your campus address the MSMC Shuttle will take you to your polling place!

Shuttles depart from Chalon:
10:00 AM
and
2:00 PM

Going to Crestwood Hills Rec Center - Club Room /Orange Table
1000 HANLEY AVE.

Shuttles depart from Doheny:
10:00 AM
and
2:00 PM

Going to Hoover Recreation Center - Pre-school Room
1010 W. 25th Street

Shuttles will only take you to the locations above. Your polling place is determined by the home address you entered on your voter registration form. In order to find out where your polling site is located please visit the LA Country Registrar of Voters website at http://www.lavote.net/Locator/.

ROCK THE VOTE!

Sponsored by
Facilities/Transportation & Women's Leadership

QUEEN OF THE COURT VOLLYBALL

Wednesday, November 5th
7-8pm

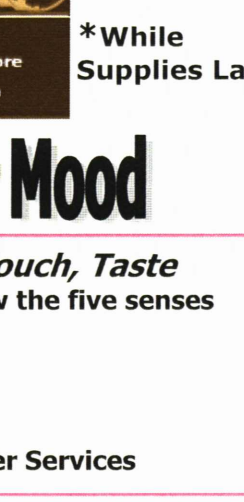
~No skill level needed~

~All students welcome!~

~Come prove your royalty~

~Individual players welcome!~

Sign up at the Fitness Center
(310) 954-4345



Office Of Community Engagement

Mount St. Mary's College

Presents:

November 8, 2008
8:30 am- 12 pm

Heal the Bay Day!

Athenian Beach? Well, not quite, but MSMC has adopted a section of the Santa Monica Beach (our section is just north of the Santa Monica Pier). Help keep our beach clean!

Join our **Nothin' But Sand Beach Cleanup!** It is a hands-on volunteer opportunity for you to improve the beach quality of Santa Monica Bay Beach while enjoying the great outdoors!

You will leave Nothin' But Sand!

Doheny:
Sign-up with Brooke Hogan in BI. 7. 1st floor
bhogan@msmc.la.edu (213) 477-2572

Chalon:
Sign-up with Maryann Nguyen in Humanities. 2nd floor (H200A)
mnguyen@msmc.la.edu (213) 954-4099

"Transportation will be provided."

I VOTED 20% OFF EVENT

Flash your "I VOTED" sticker and get a discount!

November 5

20% off* 1 clothing or gift item

20% off* any general reading book

*Valid 11/04/08 – 11/05/08. May not be combined with any other offer. Valid in store and on selected items only. Excludes gift cards, clearance items, promotional items, previous and online purchases, and prior online reference. Void where prohibited by law. See store for details.

Mount St. Mary's College

Chalon Campus Bookstore
Leavey Commons
www.msmc-chalon.bkstr.com
310-954-4322

Doheny Campus Bookstore
Fritz Burns Building
www.msmc-doheny.bkstr.com
213-477-2760

SALE

2 CREWNECK SWEATSHIRTS FOR $25

Sale starts:

Wednesday October 29th at

11am

***While Supplies Last**

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5 Senses and Your Mood

Sight, Hearing, Smell, Touch, Taste

Join us in the circle and find out how the five senses affect your mood.
November 3rd, 1 pm—2pm
DON'T MISS OUT!
Brought to you by:
Student Programming and Commuter Services

Also This Week at the Mount

Wednesday, November 5
- CLC 1:00pm-2:00pm Mary Chapel

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- Psych Club 11:00am-1:30pm Hannon Patio
 Susie Cake Bake Sale

Friday, November
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Saturday, November 8
- Board Games and Wii Challenge 6:00pm-8:00pm Cafeteria

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Also Happening Around Campus...



Nuestra Cultura 2008



Come and dance, eat traditional Mexican dishes, and learn about famous and successful Latin American icons!

When: November 7,2008
Where: The Circle
Time: 6p.m. - 12p.m.
Theme: A tribute to Latin American Culture
Tickets on sale now!
Adult price (pre-sale):$12
Adult price (at the door):$15
Kids price:$6 (ages 6-12)
Sponsored by Latinas Unidas





For ticket's and information contact jennsolo@mymsmc.la.edu or (310)954-4689

Attention all commuters!!!Interested in going to Nuestra Cultura at no cost??? Come to the Student Programming and Commuter Services Office and sign up! First come, first served. Only 20 tickets available with valid MSMC ID!

Academic Advisement

Important DATE!

ADVISEMENT PERIOD for **Spring 2009** is here (**Until November 7**)! Stay on top of your requirements and run a Program Evaluation from WebAdvisor. Make an appointment with your faculty advisor…don't put it off…check your WebAdvisor account for your advisor's name and schedule an appointment ASAP.

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ATTENTION PRE-NURSING STUDENTS!! Make your advising appointment today. Stop by or contact the Advisement Center.

ATTENTION New Transfer Students! FRIENDLY REMINDER: You only have one semester to contest your Transfer Credit Evaluation, and/or submit your final college transcripts. For more information visit us online or stop by during posted drop-in hours.

Tell us what you think? Complete an Advisor Evaluation and tell us why your advisor should receive the "Advisor of the Year" award…and you are automatically entered to win a $30 Target gift card!!

Stroll past Hannon Theater Foyer and check out the Wall display Board for important Advisement information!

Get in the Holiday Spirit! Send your Advisor a Thanksgiving Thank You Gram! It only takes a few minutes… brighten someone's day and say Thanks! Visit us during the week of **November 10th**.

Study Abroad --Globalize Yourself!!!
Europe! Australia! South America! -- Available through the American Institute of Foreign Study
Participate in the CSJ Exchange Program – study in **NY, MA,** and many other exciting places!
Intern in **Washington, D.C.!** through American University
Study along the **U.S./Mexico Border** with BorderLinks!



Don't get left behind!
Spring 2009 Deadline: November 3, 2008!!!!

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Chalon	Drop In Hours Suspended during Advisement Period	1:00pm – 3:00pm	BY APPOINTMENT ONLY	1:00pm – 3:00pm	BY APPOINTMENT ONLY

Please Note:** ***Academic Advisement Period runs from Oct. 20 - Nov. 7. During this time, we have modified our Drop In Hours. Drop In Hours are only for quick questions and general information.

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Mon-Fri, 8:00am to 4:30pm 310-954-4070/H401
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ELECTION 2008

EDUCATE YOURSELF ON THE ISSUES
Stop by the Women's Leadership Office and pick-up the Easy Voter Guide to learn about Prop 1A – 12.

RESULTS PARTY NOVEMBER 4th
Join your fellow students and watch the election results in the Chalon Student Lounge! Enjoy pizza while it lasts!

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CAMPUS MINISTRY NEWS

Hum. 110– (310) 954-4125
What an exciting year lies ahead!



In the Catholic tradition, November is a month in which we especially remember the dead; do you know someone who has died between Nov. 2007 and Nov. 2008?
If you have a loved one whose name you would like us to post in both of our chapels during the month of November, please visit this webpage **http://www.msmc.la.edu/pages/4734.asp?474** by **Nov. 3**.
On **Nov. 5** at 4:30pm in Mary Chapel at Chalon and at 4:30pm on **Nov. 6** in Mercy Chapel at Doheny, we will have special Masses of Remembrance for those friends and family who have died this past year.

HALLOWEEN HAUNTED HOUSE It is happening tonight!!

We need help with, greeting people, and cleaning up, so contact Sara Wilson at Doheny, X2762, or just come on down to the Campus! It promises to be a chilling good time! You can still bring candy to donate!!

CLC

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DIA DE LOS MUERTOS ALTARS



DOHENY: Wed., Oct. 29 – Friday, Nov. 7
CHALON: Fri., Oct. 31 - Wed., Nov. 26
You are invited to bring a photo or memento to add to the Dia de los Muertos altars in both chapels.

Feast of All Saints

Saturday Nov. 1, 2008
This year, because it falls on a Saturday, it is not a Holy Day of Obligation.

CONFIRMATION SESSION

Thursday, Nov.6 from 7:30 – 8:30pm in Mercy Chapel
The community of people who are wishing to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation continue their weekly gatherings this evening. If you haven't already signed up, contact Ingrid Chavez.

MAGNIFICAT HOUSE ALL-CAMPUS PRAYER NIGHTS at Chalon

This week Wed. Nov. 5, 2008! 9:30pm in 1st Floor Rossiter
Join Nicole, Ivy, Jasmine, Cristina, Jena and Sarah, who live in the Magnificat House for prayer and snacks!

Coming up …

ADVENT!

Our Lady of Guadelupe Celebration! and more!

**** Blessings to you from the Campus Ministry team ****
Email: campusministry@msmc.la.edu



For Your Information

Thought for the Day

"Write thank-you notes to guest speakers and file their names in your rolodex. You never know when one of them might be able to help you with a summer job or internship"
-Senior, Aquinas College

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This Weekend at the Mount

Friday 11/7

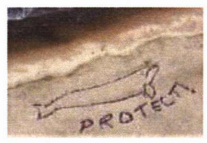
- Friday Night Flicks — Hannon Theater
 National Treasure Book of Secrets — 7:00pm-9:00pm
- Latinas Unidas — Campus Center
 "Nuestra Cultura" — 6:00pm-11:55pm

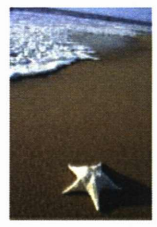




Saturday 11/8

- Heal the Bay — 8:30am-12:00pm





Sunday 11/9

- Mount and the City — 10:30am-12:00pm
 Museum of Tolerance
- Sunday Liturgy — 7:00pm-8:00pm — Mary Chapel
- Feeding the Homeless — 8:15pm-10:00pm — Santa Monica

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Opportunities for November 10-14

Mind and Spirit Concert

Namasté Women's Choir - Changing the World, One Concert at a Time...

Tuesday, November 11, 1:00 pm.

Chalon Campus Center

Come and hear beautiful accapella music from an all-woman choir! The Namasté Women's Choir will perform inspirational songs from all traditions and religions. The choir's mission is to introduce the public to the vast beauty of choral music for women, while bringing peace and understanding to the community. This is an event you won't want to miss!

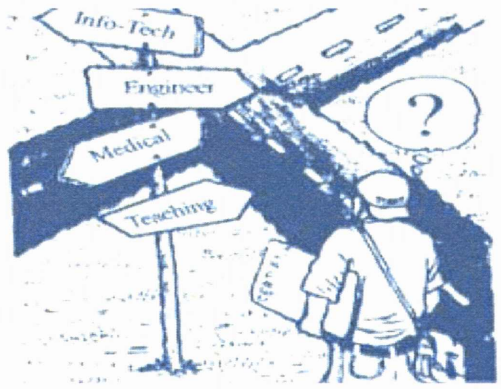
Unsure about what career path to take?
Curious about what jobs will be up and coming in the future?

Join Career Services at

"Top 15 Careers You've Never Heard Of"

Let this workshop help you discover career possibilities!

For more information or to RSVP:
Contact Career Services
(310) 954-4070



Date: Thursday, November 13

Time: 1:00-2:00 p.m.

Location: Humanities Building, Room 204

Cost: FREE! Pizza & drinks served to first 50 attendees

Who: All Mount students

** RSVP's are encouraged but not required*

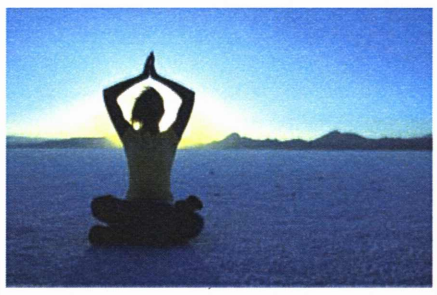
Got Relaxation?

Imagine this...

Take a break from your busy day to relax in a peaceful room filled with meditative music. Learn tips to study more effectively, relax, and breathe.

Guided Meditation
Muscle Relaxation
Breathing Exercises

Drop in from 12-12:30pm
Visitor's Dining Room (next to the Cafeteria)
Nov. 11th, 18th, and 25th



FREE!!!!!!!!

Sponsored By CPS

Learning Assistance Programs/ISAE

H-207-(310) 954-4144

ISAE Students, be sure to make an appointment with your ISAE Counselor for your educational plan. Please make sure your appointment is prior to meeting with your department advisor. Stop by the ISAE Office or call x-4144.

LAP Workshop: Basic Grammar

Are you having a tough time with grammar? Then check out this FINAL LAP workshop!

Have you been seeing TOO MANY red marks on your returned essays? This workshop will cover many of the common grammar mistakes including incorrect punctuation, sentence fragments and run-on sentences. Come learn more about how to develop clear and concise essays and research papers.

Tuesday 11/11 3:30-4:30pm H-202
Sign up outside the Learning Center TODAY!

Need help in Philosophy???

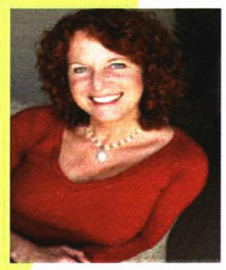
Do you need help with your philosophy classes or writing your philosophy papers?
Do you need to develop your analytical or critical thinking skills?
Are you planning to take the LSAT exam soon?

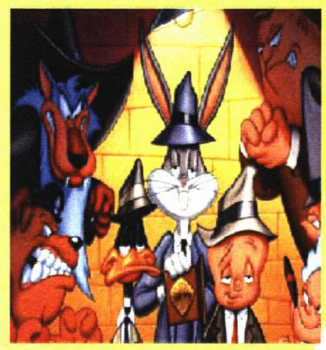
Then stop by the Learning Center to meet our analytical skills tutor, Laura Berndt!
Laura's hours: M: 8-10am; MW: 1-2:30pm; 4:30-6:30 FRI: 9-10am

Lights, Camera, Action!



Time: 6:30 p.m.
Date: November 13, 2008
Place: Hannon Theater
Mount St. Mary's College





Cass Warner Sperling presents her feature-length documentary, "THE BROTHERS WARNER," Thursday, November 13 at 6:30 p.m. in Hannon Theater. Q&A discussion on women in the entertainment business, will take place prior to the showing of the film. ALL ARE WELCOME!

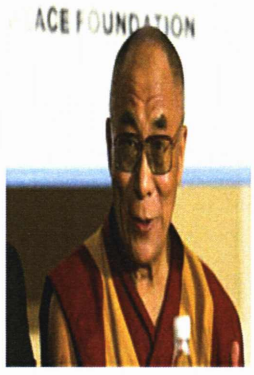
THE BROTHERS WARNER, represents a promise fulfilled by granddaughter to grandfather. An intimate portrait of the four brothers who pioneered the film industry—an ultimate rags-to-riches story of a family run business and the challenges they overcame to create a major studio with a social conscience.

Brought to you by:

FILM & SOCIAL JUSTICE, EXT. 4366

CAREER SERVICES, EXT. 4070

TOLERANCE AWARENESS WEEK



Sunday, November 9, 2008
- Museum of Tolerance

Tuesday, November 11, 2008
- *Fields of Mudan,* film screening in Hannon Theater @ 6PM

Wednesday, November 12, 2008
- *Life of David Gale*, film screening in Hannon Theater @ 6PM

Thursday, November 13, 2008
- Tolerance Awareness Fair 12 pm-3pm at the Circle

Sunday, November 16, 2008
- Tea Party for Tolerance 3:30 pm in the Circle

For more information Contact Linda Roney, Educational Programs Chair, ASB @ lindrone@mymsmc.la.edu

Also This Week at the Mount

November 10-14
- Class Registration Week (Check your e-mail for your registration time)

Tuesday, November 11

• CLC	1:00pm-2:00pm	Mary Chapel
• Etiquette Dinner *SOLD OUT*		

Friday, November 14

• Learn How to Bead	6:00pm-8:00pm	Cafeteria

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Register online at: www.active.com **(search for PowerByNumbers) OR** register onsite the day of the walk.

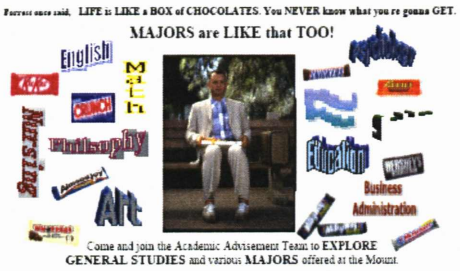
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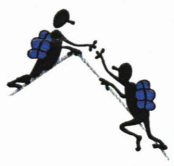
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MASQUERADE CHARITY BALL
Friday, November 21st
7:00 PM, Chalon Circle
$10/person includes an Italian Dinner, Silent Auction and Fashion Show!

Tickets are available in the Women's Leadership Office

For questions please contact Alicia Sterr (alicster@mymsmc.la.edu) or Jennifer Ward (jennward@mymsmc.la.edu).

Missed the Etiquette Dinner?
Don't worry, Career Services is adding an additional course... it's called the Refresher Course!!

This workshop will help answer:
What is "business casual" attire?

How do I behave in a formal dining setting?

Moving beyond the meal: General office etiquette (ideal for student employees!)

This workshop is open to all students and is FREE to attend!

Join us in Hannon Theater on Tuesday, November 18th, at 1:00 p.m.



Attend our one-hour workshop on etiquette do's & dont's!

Brought to you by:
Career Services & Internships
Humanities 401, 310-954-4070

CAMPUS MINISTRY NEWS





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MASS at CHALON
Sunday, Nov.9 at 7:00pm in Mary Chapel
Special Rite of Welcome for Dianne Locquiao, Jeffrey Pablo, Katarina Esmeralda and Nina Del Rosario. Come support these students as they take the next step in their faith journey.

Then enjoy Cookies and conversation immediately after Mass!
Want to be a lector, Eucharistic Minister, usher or altar server at one of the Masses? Contact Alissa Pineda or Linda Quilizapa for details on how you can get involved.

VISITING the SISTERS
Thursday, Nov. 13, 3:00 – 4:00pm
Meet at the Chalon flag pole in the Circle and walk down to the Carondelet Center.
Visit with our retired Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet.
You will be so glad you did! Contact Claudia Flores to be involved



DIA DE LOS MUERTOS ALTAR
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Chalon's VISITING the HOMELESS program
Prepare meals at 5:45pm in Campus Ministry before Mass (7pm)
Come to Mass and be blessed before you deliver the food at **8:15pm** to the homeless of Santa Monica. Contact Joanne Ruiz for more info.

COOKIES!


Monday, Nov. 10 at 2:00pm in the Campus Ministry offices
Humanities 1st Floor at Chalon and House 7 at Doheny
They are freshly baked and they go fast — don't miss them!
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Our Lady of Guadalupe Celebration, Advent Parties and Wreaths, St. Nicholas Day, and more!



**** Blessings to you from the Campus Ministry team ****

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For Your Information

Halloween has passed and Thanksgiving is creeping around the corner. In this year of "Going Green" and the thought having fair opportunities for people, let us strive for a Fair Trade-Global Friendly Thanksgiving. Keep an eye out for hints and advice as to how you can do this.
Brought to you from the Office of Student Affairs

A FAIR TRADE - GLOBAL FRIENDLY THANKSGIVING

What is Green?

Besides the color green and the color of most plants, "Green" or "Go Green" is a broad philosophy and social movement centered on a concern for the conservation and improvement of the natural environment. In essence, it is about people protecting the environment that we are in now so that our children will have an

Reference:
Wikipedia, Fair Trade Certified, Fair Trade Federation, Co-op America, Catholic Relief Services



What is Fair Trade?

Fair Trade is a system of exchange that honors producers, communities, consumers, and the environment. It is a model for the global economy rooted in people-to-people connections, justice, and sustainability.

Fair Trade is much more than a fair price. It includes fair labor conditions where workers on Fair Trade farms can enjoy freedom of association, safe working conditions, and living wages. Their work environment is eco friendly and prohibits harmful agrochemicals and GMOs. Their goal is to preserve and protect farmers' health and the valuable ecosystems for future generations.

Fair Trade farmers and farm workers decide democratically how to invest their Fair Trade revenues, like social and business development projects, scholarship programs, quality improvement trainings, and organic certification.

FAIR TRADE CERTIFIED

IT IS NOT TOO LATE TO GET YOUR FLU SHOT!!!

VISIT STUDENT HEALTH SERVICES FOR AN APPOINT-MENT!





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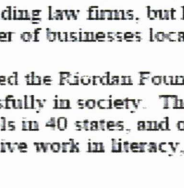
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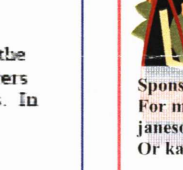
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Saturday 11/15

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- Visiting the Homeless In Los Angeles — 9:00am-10:00am — Doheny Building 7



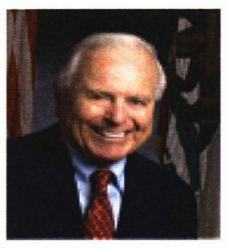
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- Tea Party for Tolerance — 3:30pm — The Circle

Opportunities for November 17-21

Planning on Building Your Future in Southern California? Gain Insights from a Leading Business and Community Leader

Who: The Honorable Richard J. Riordan, Former Mayor of Los Angeles, Civic Leader, Entrepreneur & Philanthropist
When: Thursday, November 20, 2008
Where: Campus Center
Time: 1 p.m. – 2 p.m.



Pizza & Soft Drinks will be served!

Former **Los Angeles Mayor Richard J. Riordan** is a political leader, a high profile education advocate, entrepreneur, philanthropist and restaurateur. He will share with us his unique perspective on the forces reshaping our community and the local economy; and offer his views on the urgent needs and attractive opportunities that are likely to emerge in the years ahead. And he will take your questions!

Mr. Riordan, a native of New York, first came to Los Angeles to work for O'Melveny & Myers, one the city's leading law firms, but he soon branched out and made his mark as a private investor in a large number of businesses locally and nationwide.

In 1981 he created the Riordan Foundation that has as its goal to help people acquire the skills to compete successfully in society. The Foundation has distributed over 23,000 computers to more than 2000 schools in 40 states, and over 145,000 books to elementary school libraries. In recognition of his extensive work in literacy, the LA Central Library has been named in his honor.

He was elected mayor in 1993 and helped guide Los Angeles into the ranks of major world cities. He later served as Secretary of Education in Gov. Schwarzenegger's administration. Mr. Riordan also is a leading restaurateur; he owns the Original Pantry Café, a downtown institution, Gladstone's 4 Fish in Pacific Palisades, and Mort's Deli, another LA institution, among other properties. He earned his undergraduate degree in Philosophy at Princeton University and his law degree at the University of Michigan.

The Vantage Point

A Forum for Business Leaders and Entrepreneurs

Sponsored by the Department of Business Administration and the Sigma Beta Delta Honor Society

CHALON FITNESS CENTER... BE THERE !!!!

Date: Monday, 11/17/08
Time: 6:00pm

Come to the Chalon Fitness Center to play a game of knockout!!!

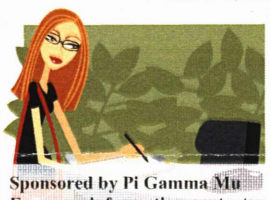


For more information call:
(310) 954-4345

Sign up sheets are in the Chalon Fitness Center!!!

Anywhere you can shoot, I can shoot BETTER!!!

PGM PRESENTS: GRAD SCHOOL APPLICATION NIGHT



Sponsored by Pi Gamma Mu
For more information contact:
janesoto@mymsmc.la.edu
Or karabrow@mymsmc.la.edu

Grad School Applications driving you mad?
Confused?
Overwhelmed?
Feel like you don't have the time?

Make the Time!!
Join us on
Thursday, November 20 at 6pm
in the Library's 4th Floor Computer Lab!

Math Placement Exam

When did you take the Math Placement Exam?
Summer 2006...or earlier?
You need to retake the Math Exam in order to take a math course next semester!

Thursday, November 20, 2008
1:00 pm

Please RSVP with the Advisement Center (H401).

¡Hola! Bon Jour!

Fulfill the Foreign Language GE Requirement!
Place into a higher level Spanish or French course!

Spanish, French, or Japanese Placement Exam
1:00-2:00 pm
Tuesday, November 18, 2008
Sign-up in the Academic Advisement Center (H401)

5 Senses and Your Mood

Sight, Hearing, Smell, Touch, Taste
Join us in the Circle and find out how the five senses affect your mood.
November 17, 1 pm—2pm
DON'T MISS OUT!
Brought to you by:
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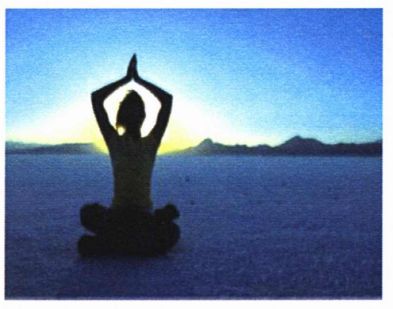
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Nov. 18th, and 25th



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FREE!!!!!!!!

Missed the Etiquette Dinner?

Don't worry, Career Services is adding an additional course... it's called the Refresher Course!!

This workshop will help answer:
What is "business casual" attire?

How do I behave in a formal dining setting?

Moving beyond the meal: General office etiquette (ideal for student employees!)

This workshop is open to all students and is FREE to attend!

Join us in Hannon Theater on Tuesday, November 18th, at 1:00 p.m.

Attend our one-hour workshop on etiquette do's & dont's!

Brought to you by:
Career Services & Internships
Humanities 401, 310-954-4070

Also This Week at the Mount

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The Residence Life Office



Masquerade Charity Ball



Friday November 21, 2008
7:00pm in the Circle

Tickets Available in
Women's Leadership Office &
Student Programming & Commuter Services
$10
Includes: Italian Dinner, Silent Auction/Fashion Show

All proceeds donated to:

Students Against Violence Everywhere SAVE

IDEAS at UCLA STUDENTS FOR EQUAL ACCESS TO EDUCATION

Any questions please contact Alicia Sterr alicster@msmc.la.edu or Jennifer Ward jennward@msmc.la.edu

Co-Sponsors: Women's Leadership, Chalon ASB, Learning Center, Career Services, Residents Life, Fitness Center, Student Programming and Commuter Services

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Tell us what you think! The evaluation process helps the Academic Advisement Center address your concerns and also lets your advisor(s) know how much you value them. You can complete more than one evaluation online for each of your Majors / Minors.

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CHALON	9:00am – 11:00am	1:00 PM - 3:00 PM	BY APPT. ONLY	1:00 PM - 3:00 PM	BY APPT. ONLY

Complete an Advisor Evaluation and tell us why your advisor should receive the "Advisor of the Year" award... and you are automatically entered to win a $30 gift card!

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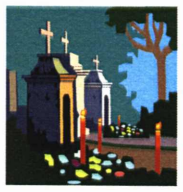
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PREPARING FOR THANKSGIVING

* Stay at home for the holidays instead of driving or flying elsewhere.
* When sending invites, use eco-friendly, paper-free invites made of hemp, banana stalks, organic cotton, kenaf, or bamboo. To reduce waste and cost use postcards instead of envelopes or just go digital and send an email.
* Suggest ride sharing. It causes fewer emissions and helps with parking.
* Stock up and reusable containers that you can use for leftovers. Save resources all year long.



You can never have too many Tupperware.

DÉCOR – *Decorate with natural or organic Thanksgiving décor.*
* **Soy Candles** is an eco-friendly option and there are plenty of fragrant pillars, candles, votives, etc.



* **Use a Pumpkin Lantern** to put your soy candles in. You can find the lantern at www.serrv.org
* **Tablerunner** – find a fair trade Shiva Shakti Tablerunner at www.GlobalExchangeStore.com
* **EcoFriendly and Fair Reusables** – instead of using disposables, buy Balinese Cotton Napkin Sets and Handwoven Romblon Leafs placemat set found at Global Exchange.



* **Disposables but EcoFriendly** You can find compostable plates and utensils and hot and cold cups at www.newdream.org
* Visit www.originalgood.com to find some **Bamboo, ceramic, wood, etc. trays and bowls** for your Thanksgiving meal.



Freshmen meeting!
Nov. 17,2008
2:00-4:00p.m.
@ the Circle

Free snacks!



Come stop by!



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Opportunities for November 24-December 5

De-Stress Day

Come Chill!!!
&
get a Massage



When: December 1st
12-3pm

Where: The Circle



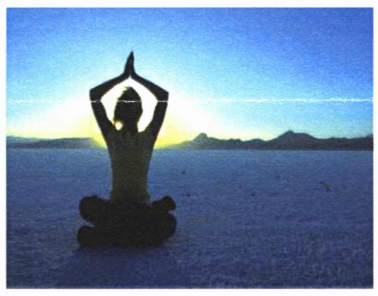
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GRADUATION

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If you are graduating please read your e-mails carefully for further information.

WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP PROGRAM
BRADY GROUND FLOOR(310) 954-4350

MAKE AN IMPRESSION
BE A 2009
ORIENTATION LEADER



Responsibilities include:

Serve as a role model to all students.
Lead small group discussions involving 10+ students.
Learn and teach MSMC traditions and student services information.
Attend and participate in all training sessions.
Enroll in LWS 1C, Orientation Training during the spring semester.

Qualifications:

Must be in good academic standing with a minimum cumulative G.P.A. of 2.75.
Be comfortable leading group discussions.
Have strong interpersonal skills.
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Applications are available in the Women's Leadership Office in the Ground Floor of Brady Commons. Paid orientation assistant positions are also available. Contact our office for more details at leadership@msmc.la.edu.

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DRIVERS TAKE CARE...AND BE AWARE!



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Students identified as driving in an unsafe manner will be reported to parking permit staff and may lose their parking permits. The reports will also be sent to Campus Security and/or the Student Conduct Board for appropriate follow-up.

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The current smoking policy states...

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Effective November 20, 2008

Violators of this policy will incur a $75 dollar fine.

*Unanimously supported by the Student Life Policy Board

SAINT MONICA'S PARISH
Annual Thanksgiving Dinner
on Wednesday, November 26, from 3-6 pm.

This will be a sit-down dinner designed to serve **families and individuals** who are impoverished and might be alone on Thanksgiving.



Shuttle bus service from St. Joseph's Center will be available from 2:30 pm.
For more information, call 310-566-1500.

To help this celebration happen, St. Monica's needs
FOOD & CLOTHING DONATIONS
that should be delivered by you to their Pastoral Center (725 California Ave., Santa Monica)

Cooked items should be delivered on **Wednesday morning, Nov. 26, beginning at 6 am.**
Most needed cooked items include: hot, fully cooked turkeys with gravy and dressing; pumpkin pies

Non-perishable items can be delivered **now, on any day from 9 am to 7 pm.**
Most needed non-perishable ***food*** items include: canned green beans, cranberry sauce, boxed juices, boxed stuffing, boxed mashed potatoes, and coffee.
Most needed clothing items (as winter gifts for the participants) include: clean blankets, sweaters, wool hats, socks, gloves, good quality warm clothing.

If you are able to make donations, or have any questions, please contact St. Monica's Pastoral Associate, Delis Alejandro.
310-566-1500 x531, email: delis@stmonica.net.

In this economically difficult time, the generosity of those who have "enough" is more important than ever!
Have a blessed Thanksgiving...
Gail Gresser, Campus Ministry

For Your Information

A FAIR TRADE - GLOBAL FRIENDLY THANKSGIVING
FOOD, FOOD, AND MORE FOOD

When buying your ingredients for your Thanksgiving meal, look at stores that sell Fair Trade and are Eco-Friendly, such as:
- Costco
- Fred Meyer
- Kroger
- Quality Food Center
- Safeway
- Sam's Club
- Shaw's Supermarket
- Stop 'n' Shop
- Target
- Trader Joe's
- Wal-Mart
- Wegman's
- Whole Foods Market
- Wild Oat



Ask for the Fair Trade blend of coffee at:
- Brueggen's
- Caribou Coffee
- Dunkin Donuts
- Einstein Bagels
- Peet's Coffee and Tea
- Seattle's Best Coffee
- Starbucks Coffee
- Tully's Coffee

References
Trans Fair USA
Green Living

Shopping Tips
- Don't forget to bring along a reusable canvas or string bag for carrying out your groceries.
- Try to buy turkeys that are grown without the use of hormones and antibiotics.
- Shop for items that use the least amount of packaging, and look for packaging that uses recycled and post-consumer content.
- Try to purchase produce that is grown locally, since less energy is expended to transport it to your grocery store.
- Look for organic foods.
- Buy low on the food chain.. By choosing fresh beans over frozen green beans and ears of corn over canned corn, you reduce your contribution to the food processing industry which uses up a lolt of energy to produce "convenience" foods.

Other Food Tips
- Shop the farmers' markets in your area. The offerings that you'll find at a farmers' market are often not only cheaper and fresher that at supermarkets but more environmentally friendly.
- Grow your own food.
- Check out the u-pick farms in your region. Go to PickYourOwn.org. They are not only a great bargain but also a great way to stock up on cannable or freezable produce.
- Become your own food processor. Did you know that you could make your own juice, cheese, jams, jellies, sauces, butters, preserves, baking mixes, etc?





Will YOU take the challenge and make the CUT?

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Opportunities for December 1-11



WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP PROGRAM
BRADY GROUND FLOOR(310) 954-4350

MAKE AN IMPRESSION
BE A 2009
ORIENTATION LEADER



Responsibilities include:

Serve as a role model to all students.
Lead small group discussions involving 10+ students.
Learn and teach MSMC traditions and student services information.
Attend and participate in all training sessions.
Enroll in LWS 1C, Orientation Training during the spring semester.

Qualifications:

Must be in good academic standing with a minimum cumulative G.P.A. of 2.75.
Be comfortable leading group discussions.
Have strong interpersonal skills.
A good sense of humor and a sense of responsibility.

Applications are available in the Women's Leadership Office in the Ground Floor of Brady Commons. Paid orientation assistant positions are also available. Contact our office for more details at leadership@msmc.la.edu.

The Deadline has been extended to December 3rd

JOIN ASB FOR
THE LIGHTING OF THE CIRCLE
6:00 PM – 9:00 PM
CHRISTMAS KARAOKE, ARTS & CRAFTS, HOT CHOCOLATE, FOOD, AND MORE!

Career Services Presents:
10 Things to Do Over Winter Break



1. Exhale. The semester is over. Do no work for the first week. Then...
2. Work on your resume: grab a resume handbook from our office or website http://www.msmc.la.edu/pages/4721.asp
3. Do part-time or seasonal work: look for opportunities on www.mountcareernetwork.com
4. Search for an internship for spring or summer (also can be found on www.mountcareernetwork.com)



5. Prepare for graduate school exams, interviews or refine your personal statement
6. Hone your interview skills through our NEW virtual interview program called: www.perfectinterview.com/msmc
7. Volunteer: give back this time of year and discover what kind of charitable acts could be turned into a career or incorporated into your life all yearlong: check out the Office of Community Engagement for such opportunities: http://www.msmc.la.edu/pages/4853.asp



8. Create a list of likes and dislikes in the work setting along with future plans and goals and let this list reaffirm your major or help you decide on one (for you undeclared students)
9. Rehearse your dining etiquette at a holiday party this season. And finally...
10. Be merry, it's the Holidays after all! Come visit us upon your return next semester!



GRADUATION



Will Be on Monday, May 11, 2009 at 3:00pm at the Gibson Amphitheater in Universal Studios

If you are graduating please read your e-mails carefully for further information.



CAMPUS MINISTRY NEWS

Hum. 110– (310) 954-4125
What an exciting year lies ahead!



ORDER a HOMEMADE ADVENT WREATH
Order yours today!
Wreaths are $14 each.

THINKING ABOUT CHRISTMAS SHOPPING? THINK FAIR TRADE.
Want to buy gifts that really benefit not only the receiver of the gift, but the people who made the gift? Check out the Fair Trade vendors on this website:
http://www.msmc.la.edu/pages/3110.asp



Chalon's VISITING the HOMELESS program
Prepare meals at 5:45pm in Campus Ministry before Mass
Come to Mass and be blessed before you deliver the food at **8:15pm** to the homeless of Santa Monica.
Contact Joanne Ruiz for more info.



Dec. 7 will be the last Visiting the Homeless evenings for the semester.

CLC
Chalon: Tuesdays from 1:00 - 2:00pm in Mary Chapel
Searching for some time to share what's going on in your life and to pray each week? This is a gathering for you!
Contact Cecilia Gonzalez at Chalon to be involved.

VISITING the RETIRED SISTERS
Thursday, Dec. 4 at 3:00pm
Meet in the Circle at Chalon and walk down to Carondelet Center!

Final MASS of the semester and FIRST THURSDAY of ADVENT
Thursday, Dec. 4 at 4:30pm in Mercy Chapel at Doheny



Celebrate the December Doheny grads and birthdays!

Final CONFIRMATION SESSION of the semester
Thursday, Dec. 4 at 7:30pm in Mercy Chapel at Doheny
The last session of this semester will take place Thursday, Dec. 4.
We will be talking about the season of Advent.



A VISIT from ST. NICHOLAS
On the evening of Dec. 4 in the residence halls
Put your shoes out in front of your door (sideways, not sticking out in hallway) by **9pm**!
If you can, **leave a donation** of a new tube of toothpaste, a bar of soap, shampoo or a hairbrush – some kind of toiletry item.
Then St. Nick's helpers will come by to visit, leaving you a little sweet surprise!
Faculty, staff and commuters are also encouraged to donate toiletries.
You can leave them either in the Campus Ministry offices or in the chapels.



Final MASS of the semester and OUR LADY of GUADALUPE celebration
Sunday, Dec. 7 at 7:00pm in Mary Chapel at Chalon
As the Mass concludes, join in bringing roses and singing songs for Nuestra Senora de Guadalupe, whose feast is Dec. 12.
(We'll have a little pan dulce and hot chocolate to celebrate!)

Blessings to you
from the Campus Ministry team

Important Days to Remember



December 8th-11th
- Finals

December 12th
- 11:00a.m. Residence Halls Check out

December 14th- January 11th
- Winter Break

January 10th
- Returning students Move in

January 12th
- Spring Classes resume

January 19th
- Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
 College closed



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Submit your activities, events or announcements to the Chalon Student News and keep the campus informed! Submissions are due every Wednesday at 12:00 PM for the next week's issue.
E-mail: cnews@msmc.la.edu

Also Happening Around Campus...

SAVE TIME, GAS, AND YOUR SANITY BY LIVING ON CAMPUS



If you are tired of driving long distances and paying high gas prices, if you are frustrated with sitting in traffic and if you want to enjoy the personal and academic advantages of living on campus, there are a limited number of spaces available in the Chalon and Doheny residence halls for Spring 2009. These spaces will be filled on a first-come, first-served basis!

If you are interested in housing, Chalon undergraduate students need to contact the Chalon Residence Life Office at (310) 954-4325 and Doheny undergraduate students need to contact the Doheny Residence Life Office at (213) 477-2661 to place their name on the Housing Pending Status List.

Residence Life will contact the Office of Student Financing and the Business Office to verify eligibility.

Each student must be registered full time (12 units or more), must not have any holds on their account and must be in good standing with the College.

Once eligibility requirements are complete, we will contact students on the Housing Pending Status List during Winter Break. Students must make financial arrangements if they do not have enough financial aid to pay for the room via additional loans through Student Financing, setting up a payment plan or paying the full cost out-of-pocket with the Business Office. Once financial arrangements have been verified, students would pay a $100 housing deposit at the Business Office.





Don't miss this opportunity to experience living in the residence halls.

The Residence Life Office

DRIVERS TAKE CARE...AND BE AWARE!



Campus Security is posted in the local neighborhood at various times and locations to remind drivers to drive slowly and courteously.



Students identified as driving in an unsafe manner will be reported to parking permit staff and may lose their parking permits. The reports will also be sent to Campus Security and/or the Student Conduct Board for appropriate follow-up.

Remember: Parking on campus is a privilege and comes with a responsibility to drive safely and courteously on campus and in the surrounding neighborhoods.





Do you want to be a LEADER? Do you want to live on CAMPUS?

If you are a current undergraduate **COMMUTER** or **RESIDENT** and you want to be a **LEADER** and live on campus for the 2009-2010 academic year for up to **80% off of your room and board fees**, then apply to be a Resident Assistant.

Find out more by picking up an Application at the Residence Life Office or print one out at the following web page: http://www.msmc.la.edu/pages/6128.asp

Applications are due Friday, January 30, 2009.

Chalon Campus
(310) 954-4325
chalonresidence@msmc.la.edu
Located in Brady Hall 1st Floor

Doheny Campus
(213) 477-2661
dohenyresidence@msmc.la.edu
Located in Hannon Hall

Congratulations to Mount St. Mary's December Graduates!

Diana Arevalo	Daisy Gomez	Christine Norashkharyan
Ashley Avilla	Dignorah Gomez	Lyanne Novales
Debreion Barnes	Sharmaine Grier	Robert Paulson
Tiffany Berry	William Guzman	Ileanna Portillo
Baleria Berumen	Ka 'shandra Hall	Brandie Proctor
Tammy Blevins	Hannah Han	Sara Ramirez
David Brewer	Rollanda Harris	Lisa Ratliff
Aimee Brown	Sergio Herrera	Kimberly Rebello
Maria Cabalitan-Lau	Amanda Ibarra	Amanda Reyes
Mauro Carrillo	Danielle Kan	Marilu Reyes
Laiza Castillo	Tiffani Kennedy	Diana Rodriguez
Maritza Castillo	Minhee Kim	Siera Saenz
James Choi	Austin Knoblauch	Tammy Sanchez
Tina Cianfrini-Navailles	Cynthia Lanza	Eileen Saucedo
Brandi Clark	Robert Lawrence	Thomas Schott
Denise Cortez	Erika Llamas	Esther Sierra
Leslie Cristanelli-Cline	Brieia Lopez	Andromeda Singletary
Helen Dailey	Melinda Massey	Colleen Thompson
Andrea Del Solar	Roxanne Mayfield	Erika Torres
Sasha Diaz	Denise Molina	Karina Trejo
Evelyn Enriquez	Guadalupe Moore	Colleen Turkal
Gina Enriquez	Ariana Morales	Alexandra Vanhorn
Elida Fuentes	Martha Moran	Clariss Klysa Velasco
Rene Gamboa	Melanie Nicholson	Delecia Washington
Janice Gastelum		Patricia Weber

SMOKING POLICY UPDATE

The current smoking policy states...

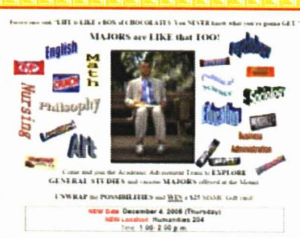
The Chalon Campus is located in a high fire danger area. Mount St. Mary's College strives to be a smoke free campus. Smoking is allowed only at the designated table on the east side of the Circle. Smoking is not allowed in the residence halls or in any other campus building including chapel stairs, parking structure stairs, flag pole or steps by the Student Lounge. Students seeking assistance with smoking cessation should contact Student Health Services.

Effective November 20, 2008

Violators of this policy will incur a $75 dollar fine.

*Unanimously supported by the Student Life Policy Board

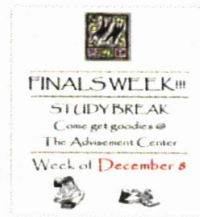
Academic Advisement News!



GE WORKSHOP!!!!! Please join us for this event December 4, 2008 1:00pm – 2:00pm Humanities Building Room 204 M.C.



ATTENTION New Transfer Students!
FRIENDLY REMINDER: You only have one semester to contest your Transfer Credit Evaluation, and/or submit your final college transcripts. For more information visit us online or stop by during posted drop-in hours.



***MODIFIED* Advisement Period DROP IN HOURS:**

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
CHALON	9:00am – 11:00am	1:00 PM - 3:00 PM	BY APPT. ONLY	1:00 PM - 3:00 PM	BY APPT. ONLY

Academic Advisement
Mon-Fri, 8:00am to 4:30pm 310-954-4070/H401
advisement@msmc.la.edu Visit us online at: www.msmc.la.edu/advisement

Learning Assistance Programs/ISAE

H-207-(310) 954-4144



Wishing everyone a warm and joyous Holiday season!!!

For Your Information

Exam Periods	Monday Dec 8	Tuesday Dec 9	Wednesday Dec 10	Thursday Dec 11	Friday Dec 12
8:00-10:00 AM	M-W-F 9:10a-10:10a	T - TH	M-W-F 8:00a-9:00a	T - TH 8:00a-9:30a	In-House
10:30 - 12:30 PM	M-W-F 11:30a-12:30p	T - TH 9:40a-11:10a	M-W-F 10:20a-11:20a	T-TH 11:20a-12:50p	Faculty
1:00 - 3:00 PM	M-W-F 1:50p-2:50p	T - TH	M-W-F 12:40p-1:40p	T - TH 2:20p-3:50p	Work
3:30 - 5:30 PM	M-W 3:00p-4:30p	T - TH 4:00p-5:30p	M-W-F 4:40p-6:10p	T - TH:	Day
6:00 - 9:00 PM	M	T	W	TH	



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This Week at the Mount



Academic Advisement

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advisement@msmc.la.edu



Drop-In hours for Add/Drop Period for the week of January 12 - 15, 2009 only.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Chalon	8am-12pm 1pm-4pm	10am-12pm 2pm-4pm	10am-12pm 1pm-3pm	9am-11am 1:30 pm- 3:30pm	8am-12pm 1pm-4pm
Doheny	8am-12pm 1pm-4pm	9am-12pm 2pm-4pm	10am-12pm 1pm-3pm	9am-11am 1:30 pm- 3:30pm	8am-12pm 1pm-4pm

Regular Drop-In hours resume the week of January 19, 2009

Visit us online for more information: www.msmc.la.edu/advisement

WELCOME BACK COMMUTERS!

Student Programming and Commuter Services

Humanities 200A- (310)954-4120



Student Programming and Commuter Services invites commuters to join us for FREE LUNCH on Thursday, January 15th in the Campus Center at **1:00pm**. First come first served.

Sign Up for Carpool! Earn incentives for driving to campus. Registration forms are available in the Student Programming and Commuter Services office.



Commuters you can pick up your **Spring 2009** semester sticker starting Monday, January 12th. *Semester stickers signify your status as a current student at the Mount.*

Also This Week at the Mount

Tuesday, January 13

- RA Information Session — 5:00pm– 6:00pm — Brady 1st Floor Lounge

Thursday, January 15

- Commuter Lunch — 1:00pm– 2:00pm — Campus Center



Academic Calendar Deadlines



Friday, January 16

- **LAST DAY TO ADD/DROP DECLARE AN AUDIT**

Monday, January 19

- Martin Luther King, Jr. Day—No CLASSES



Opportunities for January 20-23

STUDENT PROGRAMMING AND COMMUTER SERVICES

Humanities 200A- (310) 954-4120

Welcome Back! We have exciting programs in store for you this Spring. Once the school week is done, weekend programming brings the fun. All events are **FREE!** *

MOUNT AND THE CITY

Saturday, January 24, 2009: Portraits of Vanity Fair exhibit @ Los Angeles County Museum of Art 11am-3pm

Photographs 1913-2008 is the first major exhibition to bring together the magazine's historic archive of rare vintage prints with its contemporary photographs.

Friday, January 30, 3009: *Phantom of the Opera the musical. @ Pantages Theater 6pm-11pm

Andrew Lloyd Webber's romantic musical is based on Gaston Leroux's gothic novel of life beneath the stage of the Paris Opera House. A mysterious masked man falls in love with Christine, a singer who inspires The Music of the Night.

ARTS AND CULTURE

Saturday, January 31, 2009: Chinese New Year Festival and 110th Annual Golden Dragon Parade @ Chinatown 11:30am-5:00pm

Celebrating over one hundred years of tradition, this colorful celebration along North Broadway and Chinatown feature floats, marching bands, food, dancing, games and a car show.

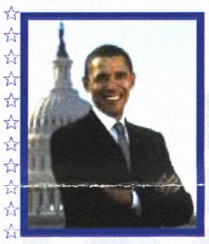




Sunday, February 8, 2009: *Kodo (Japanese Taiko Drumming) @ Walt Disney Concert Hall 6pm-11pm

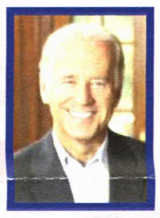
The awe-inspiring "samurai percussionists" of Kodo explore the rhythms and traditions of Japan with *taiko* drums. Dancing, miming, and drumming, they mesmerize the audience with their dramatic energy, and the massive *o-daiku*, a 900-pound decorated drum carved from the trunk of a single tree and played by two men.

**Subject to $10 refundable deposit. Sign up in Student Programming office. Space limited. Transportation provided.*



Join the Mount Community at the

PRESIDENTIAL INAUGURATION SCREENING



January 20th, 2009

7:00 AM Hannon Theater

LIVE VIDEO COVERAGE, FREE BREAKFAST, MUSIC, & MASS @ 12PM

BROUGHT TO YOU BY WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP AND CAMPUS MINISTRY

TROT AROUND THE GLOBE!!!

I want to travel, but can't afford the full trip! I want to study abroad!

Friends and alums of Mount St. Mary's College – who are themselves veterans of international travel – have set aside a $1500 Globetrotter Grant for MSMC. The purpose is to facilitate foreign travel by a student at the Chalon Campus of the college. The Grant may be used to provide seed money for a trip or to subsidize a planned trip. The Board of the Globetrotter Grant strongly encourages innovative and creative proposals covering a wide range of travel.

Applications accepted beginning January 20, 2009

Application deadline midnight, January 30, 2009

For more information and to apply for the Globetrotter Grant, please visit the Globetrotter Grant website: www.GlobetrotterGrant.com.

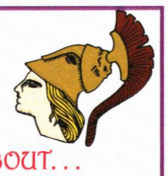
For information about study/travel opportunities, visit Academic Advisement (H400) or call (310) 954-4070



GREEK INFO NIGHT

Tuesday, January 20th

Chalon Student Lounge



LOOKING FOR...

- Leadership Opportunities
- Lifelong friendships & Networks
- Community Service

LEARN MORE ABOUT...

- Kappa Delta Chi
- Sigma Theta Psi
- Theta Alpha Sigma

Contact the Women's Leadership Office (310-954-4350 or leadership@msmc.la.edu) for more details!

Pause for Reflection

"The miraculous is not extraordinary but the common mode of existence. It is our daily bread. Whoever really has considered the lilies of the field or the birds of the air and pondered the improbability of their existence in this warm world within the cold and empty stellar distances will hardly balk at the turning of water into wine — which was, after all, a very small miracle. We forget the greater and still continuing miracle by which water (with soil and sunlight) is turned into grapes."

***-Wendell Berry, excerpted in* Meditations on Nature, Meditations on Silence**

What do you think about this quote? Do you find it irreverent or sacred, powerful or silly, true or irrelevant...or?

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Also Happening Around Campus...

CBS Radio Internship

CBS RADIO
BROADCAST HD STREAMING ON-DEMAND
ESTABLISHED 1928

CBS Radio Internship Orientation

Tour & Q&A
Tuesday, January 27, 2009
4:00pm-5:30pm
CBS Radio Studio
5670 Wilshire Blvd. Suite 200

Must RSVP if you plan to attend at:
noel.wax@cbsradio.com
CC: msimon@msmc.la.edu



Future Media Star!

1. Take a tour of the facility
2. Meet people from CBS Radio
3. Receive overview of internship program
4. Q & A with Noel Wax, V.P. of Sports Sales, CBS Radio

Brought to you by:

Career Services and Internships Humanities Room 401 (310) 954-4070	AND	Noel Wax Vice President, Sports Sales CBS Radio

Learning Assistance Programs/ISAE

H-207-(310) 954-4144

Athenians, welcome back to the Learning Center!
Stop by Humanities-207 to share your Holiday stories!

Learning Center Hours:
Mon-Thurs 8AM-6PM
Fri 8AM-4:30PM





PAID TUTORS NEEDED!
If you have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 and have received a B+ or better in a college class, then come to the Learning Center to pick up a tutor application! Enjoy flexible hours, bi-weekly pay and best of all, a great experience to include on your resume! Stop by the Learning Center (H-207) for more information!

SPRING SEMESTER ALREADY STRESSING YOU OUT?
Come pick up a tutor request form at the Learning Center! It is never too early to plan for YOUR success. Stop by the Learning Center (H-207) for more information.



STUDENTS WITH A DISABILITY:
Please stop by the Learning Center and ask for Michele Lewis, Director of Learning Assistance Programs, to arrange for academic accommodations.

Philosophy HELP!

- **Need help in your spring semester Philosophy class?**
- **Taking a critical thinking course?**
- **Studying for the LSAT for LAW SCHOOL?**



Then make sure to stop by the Learning Center to make an appointment with our Philosophy tutor, Laura Berndt!

Laura's Hours: Mon 8-10am; 12:30-2pm
Wed 1-5:30pm
Fri 8-10am

DINE AND CHAT!

Have your ever wondered what your professor does in his/her spare time? Get to know your professor on a personal level over lunch. Join us for a monthly talk and discussion series featuring MSMC faculty and Administrators. The first Dine and Chat will be **Tuesday, January 27 from 1-2pm in Hannon Parlor** and will feature **Dr. David Leese**, an professor in the Business and English Departments and an expert in 20th century literature, Business Law, and Management.

Lunch is free. Sign up in the Student Programming office (H-200A). Space is limited.

CAMPUS MINISTRY NEWS



The Campus Chapels are OPEN daily from 6:00am until 10:00pm

What an exciting year lies ahead!



DID YOU KNOW ...THAT IT'S STILL CHRISTMAS?
The season of Christmas ends this year on January 11, so come to the 7 pm Mass this Sunday to sing *one* more round of carols!

We then enter into the period of Ordinary Time until Feb. 25, when Lent begins.

INAUGURATION DAY MASS ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 20!
Join other students in watching the Inauguration live in Hannon or Rose Hill Theaters, and then come to pray for our country and our new President at a special 12 NOON MASS in Chalon's Mary Chapel.

Chalon's VISITING the HOMELESS program will begin on **Sunday, January 25**
Prepare meals in the Campus Ministry office at 5:45pm. Come to Mass and be blessed before you deliver the food at **8:15pm** to the homeless of Santa Monica.



COOKIES!



Monday, Jan. 12 at 2:00pm in the Campus Ministry offices
Humanities 1st Floor at Chalon
Celebrate the new semester! All are welcome!

COMING UP ...
SPRING 2009 with CAMPUS MINISTRY
Put these dates on your calendar!

Jan. 11: First Sunday Mass of the semester at 7:00pm
Jan. 12: Cookies!
Jan. 15: First Thursday Mass of the semester at 4:30pm
Jan. 20: Inauguration Day Mass at 12 Noon (Chalon)
Jan. 25: Visiting the Homeless at Chalon begins
Jan. 26: CLC begins at Doheny
Feb. 24: Mardi Gras
Feb. 25: Ash Wednesday; Lent begins
March 11: Hunger Banquet
March 16 thru March 19: Sisters of St. Joseph week
March 18: St. Joseph Week Bread Blessing (both campuses) and Lenten Reconciliation Service (Doheny)
March 25: Lenten Reconciliation Service (Chalon)
April 5: Palm Sunday
April 9 thru April 13: Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Holy Saturday, Easter Sunday
April 19: Mass of the Easter Sacraments
April 21: Easter Eggstravaganza (Doheny)
April 24: Laurel Day Mass (Doheny)
April 25: Mary's Day (Chalon)
May 9: Baccalaureate Mass (Chalon)





Watch for dates for Visiting the Sisters, Visiting the Homeless at Doheny, prayer nights and more!

Blessings upon your new year from the Campus Ministry team

24 hours a day on the web: http://www.msmc.la.edu/cm
Email: campusministry@msmc.la.edu
DOHENY Phone: (213) 477-2672 Office: House 7

LEADERSHIP BOOTCAMP
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7
9AM - 2PM

CALLING ALL MSMC STUDENTS!
Want to learn how to be a better leader? Join us for an active event designed to get you moving, strengthen your teamwork and leadership skills, and encourage you to reach your fullest potential!

Contact Women's Leadership (leadership@msmc.la.edu or 310-954-4350) to sign-up for Boot Camp no later than January 31, 2009.

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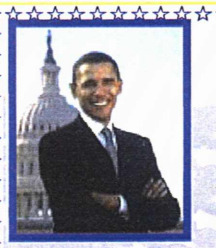
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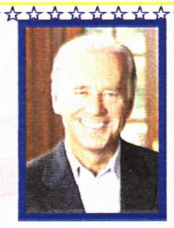
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Join the Mount Community at the



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7:00 AM Hannon Theater
LIVE VIDEO COVERAGE, FREE BREAKFAST, MUSIC, & MASS @ 12PM

BROUGHT TO YOU BY WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP AND CAMPUS MINISTRY

THE CLOTHESLINE PROJECT PROUDLY PRESENTS:

Lights! Camera! A.C.T.I.O.N.

Are you an aspiring actor or actress? Do you want to get involved in advocating healthy relationships?

Auditions will be held on:
Wednesday, January 21 and Thursday, January 22
From 9am-5 pm

Sing a song, read a poem, recite a monologue, or perform a skit. Please bring your material to the audition.

Email Chinako Miyamoto at cmiyamoto@msmc.la.edu by Tuesday, January 20 to schedule your appointment



GREEK INFO NIGHT

Tuesday, January 20th
Chalon Student Lounge



LOOKING FOR...
- Leadership Opportunities
- Lifelong Friendships & Networks
- Community Service

LEARN MORE ABOUT...
- Kappa Delta Chi
- Sigma Theta Psi
- Theta Alpha Sigma

Contact the Women's Leadership Office (310-954-4350 or leadership@msmc.la.edu) for more details!

"Tapas and Talk"

Latina Alumnae Network at Mount St. Mary's College

DEADLINE TO SIGN UP- JANUARY 23RD!!

The LAN Board cordially invites you to attend a festive reception to honor

Nancy Primo '10 and Sanam Yaghtin '10

2009 LAN Scholarship recipients

Participate in a **Networking Exchange** - *business cards will be provided*

Sunday, February 8, 2009 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. Reservations Required
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For more information or to make your reservation today, please call Alumnae Relations (213) 477-2767

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- **Capital Fellows Info Session** **11:30a.m.** **Humanities 303**

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CBS RADIO
BROADCAST HD STREAMING ON-DEMAND
ESTABLISHED 1928

CBS Radio Internship Orientation

Tour & Q&A

Tuesday, January 27, 2009
4:00pm-5:30pm
CBS Radio Studio
5670 Wilshire Blvd. Suite 200

Must RSVP if you plan to attend at:
noel.wax@cbsradio.com
CC:



Future Media Star!

1. Take a tour of the facility
2. Meet people from CBS Radio
3. Receive overview of internship program
4. Q & A with Noel Wax, V.P. of Sports Sales, CBS Radio

Brought to you by:

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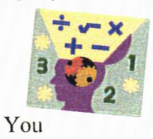
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Graduate School Fair: 3/12 and
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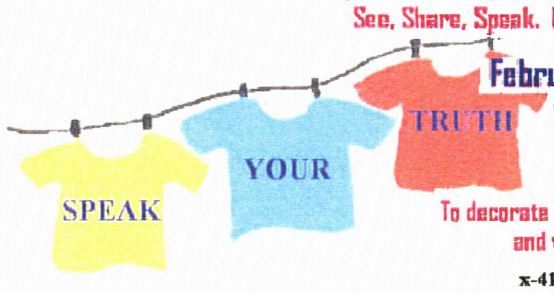
Education Department (213) 477-2620

Music, Drama, and Art Majors- do you want to teach and inspire creative K-12 Students? Science majors- do you want to assist the next generation of doctors, nurses, biologists, physicists, etc?

*If working with young people to help them find their passion sounds exciting, **email Dr. Gordon, Director of Secondary Education at rgordon@msmc.la.edu.**
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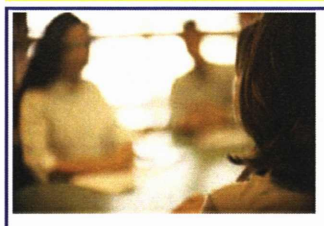
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Plagiarism & How to Avoid It LAP Workshop
Sign up outside of the Learning Center TODAY!

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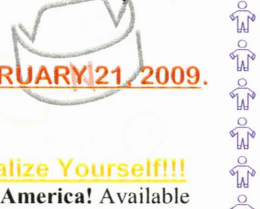
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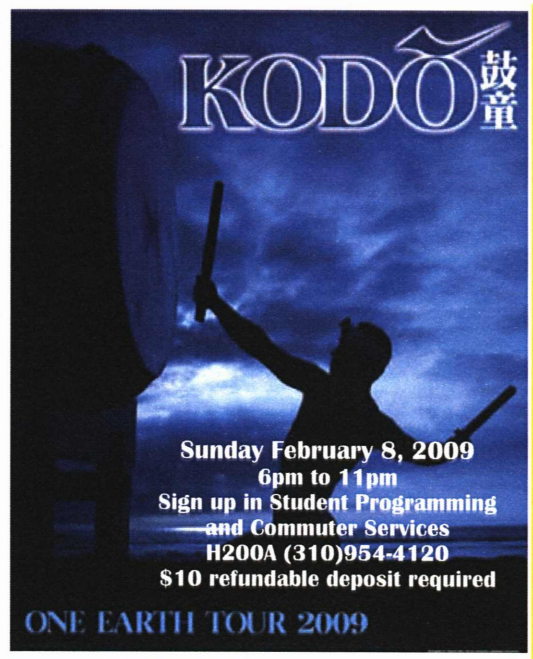
Smart ways to use Social Networking Sites
(my space, facebook, etc.)



DO keep your profile on private. You don't want any strangers to see your information!

DON'T add everyone that requests you! Only add friends that you know.

"You never know who might be watching"



18TH ANNUAL ATHENIAN DAY

Saturday, February 21st 2009

Registration is open!! Deadline is the first 12 teams that register in full by Friday February 6th. We have 10 spots left!! For more information come to the Fitness Center or check us out on our web page.

We can't wait to see your team cheer, team banner and your attitude to perform. Remember, it's black and white, either you play or you don't! Be a part of the Athenian Spirit!

Thank you!

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Student Programming and Commuter Services Ext. 4120

Saturday 1/31

ATHENIAN CAFÉ

Location: Cafeteria
Time: 4:30 to 6:00 PM
Includes: Wii Challenge, Board Games, and a craft
Contact: Residence Life @ Ext. 4325

Sunday 2/1

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CALLING ALL MSMC STUDENTS!

Want to learn how to be a better leader? Join us for an active event designed to get you moving, strengthen your teamwork and leadership skills, and encourage you to reach your fullest potential!

Contact Women's Leadership (leadership@msmc.la.edu or 310-954-4350

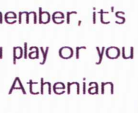
MAXIMIZE your MEMORY and become a better test taker!

Do you *blank out* when you take tests? Are you having premature encounters with Senioritis? Can't remember? Come to this LAP workshop and Maximize your Memory with tools that fully engage your resources.



THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2009 1:00-2:00PM

RSVP outside the Chalon Learning Center TODAY!



Career Services Presents:

Nursing Career Fair: The Workshop



Who:
All nursing students!
When:
Wednesday, February 4, 2009
Time:
4:00pm-5:00pm
Where:
Humanities 303

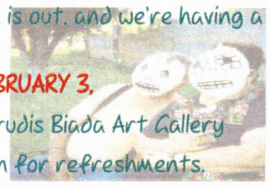
For more information contact: Career Services

Bring your resume and be ready to take notes!

An AUDACIOUS Party!

AUDEMUS: Latin for "We Dare."
(Done with a certain Audacity.)

Our 2nd issue is out, and we're having a celebration!



TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 3,

1 pm, in the Drudis Biada Art Gallery

Come on down for refreshments.

Enjoy some literary entertainment.

Support our students and their writings—(We have some audacious writers in our midst!)

Question? Call Marcos Villatoro at ext. 4241.

Career Services Presents:

"HOW TO GET INTO MED SCHOOL"



Interested in going to Med School? Learn how to become a competitive & competent applicant..Find out what Medical Schools are looking for & what programs are out there to prepare you!

When: Tuesday, February 3, 2009
Time: 1:00-2:00pm
Location: humanities 204
For more information contact:
OFFICE OF Career services
(310) 954-4070
HUMANITIES 401

WORKSHOP SPEAKER:

Elizabeth Yzquierdo, MPH
Office of Academic and Outreach Programs
David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA

This workshop is free to attend & open to all Mount students!

Student Programming & Commuter Services Present

Black History Month Commuter Lunch
With Special Performers:

NIANCHO ENIYALEY



STUDENT I.D REQUIRED!

Date: February 5
Time: 1:00-2:00
Location: The Circle

Enjoy the festivities of Black History Month with FREE lunch & LIVE entertainment!!

18TH ANNUAL ATHENIAN DAY

Saturday, February 21st 2009

Registration is open!! Deadline is the first 12 teams that register in full by Friday February 6th.

We have 10 spots left!! For more information come to the Fitness Center or check us out on our web page.

We can't wait to see your team cheer, team banner and your attitude to perform. Remember, it's black and white, either you play or you don't! Be a part of the Athenian Spirit!

Queen of the Court Volleyball Tournament



Wednesday, February 4th it's back by popular demand.

All you need to compete is have a group of 3 players, sign up at the Fitness Center and then come to play at 7pm.

Who will be queen this semester?

Also This Week at the Mount

Tuesday Feb. 3

*Workshop: How to Get into Med School 1-2 p.m., H 204

Wednesday Feb. 4

* Workshop: The Nursing Fair 4-5 p.m., H 303



Are you graduating in May? Have you completed your paperwork with the Registrar? Recognition for graduates, including the Mary's Day ceremony, is rapidly approaching... don't miss out!



Opportunities for February 9-13

Freshman Meeting

February 11,2009
At the Circle
From 1:00-2:00 pm





ARTS AND CULTURE

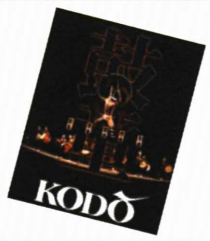
Join us as we enjoy the art performed by these amazing Japanese percussionists at the:

KODO JAPANESE TAIKO DRUMMING

Walt Disney Concert Hall

Sunday, February 8 - R.S.V.P. Monday, Feb 2

$10 refundable deposit required



THE CLOTHESLINE PROJECT

See, Share, Speak. Help end violence against women.



February 9-11, 2009.
10am-3pm
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To decorate T-shirts to honor survivors and victims of violence.

x-4114; x-4144; x-4350

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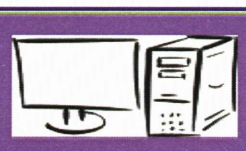
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The Do's and Don'ts of Myspace, Facebook, LinkedIn pages, etc.



DO choose groups wisely. A silly group might imply a lack of maturity.

DON'T you or your friends upload pictures that can be deemed "risqué." Your profile might be on private, but your friends' might not.

CAREER SERVICES PRESENTS:

10 Things to Do This Spring Semester



ITEM 3

DO PART-TIME WORK; LOOK FOR OPPORTUNITIES ON
www.mountcareernetwork.com

Network at our various fairs. Mark your calendars now:

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COOKIES!

Humanities 1st Floor at Chalon in Campus Ministry
Join us every Monday for some cookies and chat!

COMMUTER SERVICES

Commuter Café
Every Wednesday
Brady Patio 8 am - 10 am

BE A STAR
MOUNT COMMUNITY NIGHT
MORE INFORMATION TO COME!

This Weekend at the Mount

Friday 2/6	Saturday 2/7	Sunday 2/8
ISAE Mardi Gras Event 5:30-8:30 PM @ the Campus Center	**LEADERSHIP BOOTCAMP** **@Chalon** **9:00AM - 3:00 PM**	**MASS at CHALON at 7:00p.m.** *Contact the Campus Ministry (x4125) office if you need information or would like help out.*

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The Clothesline Project

Speak Your Truth

SEE, SHARE, SPEAK. HELP END VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN.

www.msmc.la.edu/clothesline project

CHALON Events

Monday, Feb. 9 - Wednesday, Feb.11 in the Circle

- T-shirt making: 10AM to 3PM
- Cookie Sale: 2 for $1.00 10AM to 3PM

Sunday, Feb. 8 in the Chapel

Mass: 7PM

Friday, Jan. 23– Wednesday Feb. 11

Donate Clothes for *House of Ruth's Shelter* at:

Carondelet 1st Lounge, Brady 1st Lounge, Rossiter 2nd Lounge, Yates Main Lounge, Commuter Student Lounge, Cafeteria Mary's Chapel, Health Services.

DOHENY Events

Tuesday, Feb. 10- Thursday, Feb. 12

- T-shirt making: 11AM to 2PM

Co-Sponsors:

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COMMUTER VALENTINE'S DAY

SIT DOWN AND RELAX WHILE MAKING FUN ARTS AND CRAFTS FOR THOSE YOU LOVE FOR VALENTINES DAY!



DATE: FEBRUARY 12, 2009

LOCATION: THE CIRCLE

TIME: 1:00-2:00

FREE SNACKS AND FUN!

BROUGHT TO YOU BY:

STUDENT PROGRAMMING AND COMMUTER SERVICES

STRUGGLING with PowerPoint???

Attend PowerPoint Made Easy to get new ideas for your next presentation! The presentation will cover basics, pursue any points of exploration for advanced attendees and introduce the latest version of PowerPoint!

Thursday, February 12th in H204 1:00 to 2:00 PM.

SIGN UP TODAY OUTSIDE THE LEARNING CENTER!

An Inconvenient Truth showed us the problems; ***FUEL*** **provides us with the solutions**

Mount St. Mary's College in partnership with Women in Film is proud to present...

FUEL

You are invited to join us for a free screening of the award-winning documentary film, FUEL.

Tuesday, February 10, 2009

•Screening at 6:45 PM

Panel discussion to follow with filmmaker Josh Tickell

Where: Hannon Theater

RSVP to Marlene Simon @ EXT. 4135 or msimon@msmc.la.edu

STUDENTS! TOUR THE *BIG GREEN BUS*

SALE! SALE! SALE! SALE!

February 2, 2009 - February 28, 2009

20% off select items and 20% off select already reduced items

Some sale items include:

- Sherpa Hood WAS $29.95 NOW $23.96
- Dickies tote bags WAS $11.99 NOW $9.95
- League long sleeve tee WAS $22.00 NOW $17.60





CAMPUS MINISTRY NEWS

What an exciting year lies ahead!

COOKIES!

Monday, Feb. 9 at 2:00pm in the Campus Ministry offices

Humanities 1st Floor at Chalon All are welcome!

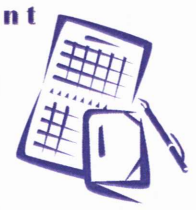


CLC (Christian Life Community)

Tuesday, Feb.10 from 1 until 2pm in Chalon's Mary Chapel

Blessings from the Campus Ministry team!

Also This Week at the Mount



Thursday Feb. 12 LAP Workshop: PowerPoint Made Easy 1-2:00PM @ H-405B

Wednesday Feb. 11 Women's Basketball @ UCLA 7-8:30PM

Thursday Feb. 12 Men's Basketball @ UCLA 9:30-10:30PM

BE FIT!



Athenian Day Contact a Fitness Center for more information and if space is still available.

Tuesday, Feb 10th come join a group of students to **walk the loop**. Bring a flashlight and let us get moving! 7:30pm meet at

Opportunities for February 16-20

ISAE at the Getty!

ISAE Students, come explore 18th century paintings from Italy and France! Greek and Roman antiquities from 6th century B.C., sculptures from the 17th century and American and European photographs from the 19th century to the present.



Getty Museum

Sunday, February 22, 2009

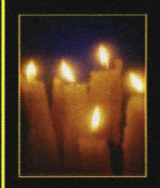
1:00-4:00PM

Shuttle will leave Chalon at 12:30PM



SIGN UPS START ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2009 in the ISAE Office. Please bring a $5 REFUNDABLE deposit.

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Don't Delay

CARPOOLING MAKES SENSE

Sign Up Today

Did You Know...

- Los Angeles Commuters waste 91 hours a year stuck in traffic!
- Using the carpool lane means cutting the total commute time by a third!

Thursday is the day of the week that has the most commuter traffic!

Memo to the Carpool Deviants:
Student Procrastination & Commuter Services
Humanities 200A

Dine-n-Chat

Spring 2009

A monthly talk and discussion series featuring MSMC faculty
Hannon Parlor/ 12:00p.m.-1:00p.m. Complimentary Lunch Served

Have you ever wondered what your professor does in his/her own time?

Now you can.
Get to know a MSMC professor over FREE Lunch.
Join Us

Tuesday, February 17, 2009

1:00pm-2:00pm

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Featured speaker: Mark Alhanati
A professor in the Business Administration department and an expert in accounting business management.

Please RSVP by:
February 13, 2009

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Healthy Heart Day sponsored by Fitness Education and Health Services. Come out to the Circle from 11-2pm to get information on blood pressure, cholesterol and personal health check ups. There will be some fun give-aways and resources for all.

ROTC Bootcamp Workout. Ever want to know what a ROTC workout consist of? Do you want to have a great workout for 45 minutes strong. Everyone welcome to join in. Come prepared and ready. **Meet in the Circle at 7:00pm.**

Hide and Seek Night Come on out and have some fun exercising and have a great time. **Meet at the Flag pole at 8:00pm.**

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Attention future nurses!
Here's your chance to make some connections!

- Providence Saint Joseph Medical Center
- Glendale Adventist Medical Center
- VA Greater L.A. Healthcare System
- UCLA Health System
- HemaCare Corp.
- Western Medical Center, Santa Ana
- Good Samaritan Hospital
- Antelope Valley Hospital
- Army Nurse Program Kaiser Permanente
- Long Beach Memorial Medical Center



- Huntington Hospital
- USC University Hospital
- Navy Nursing
- Cedars Sinai Medical Center
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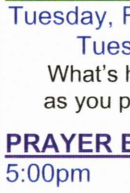
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Wednesday Feb. 18			
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•	LAP Workshop: Writing the Research Paper	H405 B	1-2 PM

CAMPUS MINISTRY NEWS

What an exciting year lies ahead!
(310) 954-4125, Humanities 1st Floor



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Humanities 1st Floor at Chalon All are welcome!

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PRAYER EXPERIENCE: Take Back the Night Wednesday, February 18 at 5:00pm
Take Back the Night begins with prayer in the Chapel.
Programs sponsored by ASB, Campus Ministry, Career Services, Community Engagement, Counseling and Psychological Services, Residence Life, Women's Leadership and a grant from the Department of Justice

CONFIRMATION SESSIONS
Continue on Wednesday February 18 at 7:15pm in Mercy Chapel at Doheny
The community of people who are wishing to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation gather weekly .
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Save Time, Save Money, Find Parking!

Don't Delay

CARPOOLING MAKES SENSE

Sign Up Today

Did You Know...

- Los Angeles Commuters waste 70 hours a year stuck in traffic!
- Setting in Cabbi Bibi has 1 of the 10 most congested freeway interchanges in the nation!
- Using the carpool lane means cutting the total commute time by a third!
- Thursday is the day of the week that has the most commuter traffic!

Matriculate the Carpool Organization
Student Programming & Commuter Services
Humanities 401

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SPR 85 Teaching Assistants Wanted!!

APPLY TODAY!

EARN $150

JUNIORS OR SENIORS ONLY

NO WORK STUDY AWARD NEEDED

APPLICATIONS DUE BY FEBRUARY 27, 2009

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GOOD LUCK TO ALL STUDENTS TAKING THE TEAS EXAM!!!

CAMPUS MINISTRY NEWS, CONT...

Chalon's VISITING the HOMELESS program

Continues on Sunday, **February 22**

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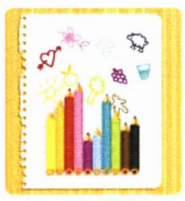
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***40 to 50 hour work weeks**

***Sports Medicine, Primary care, Surgery, Orthopedics, Biomechanics**

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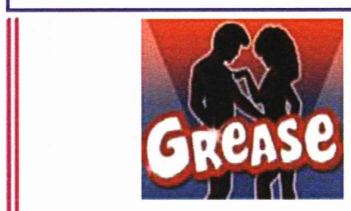
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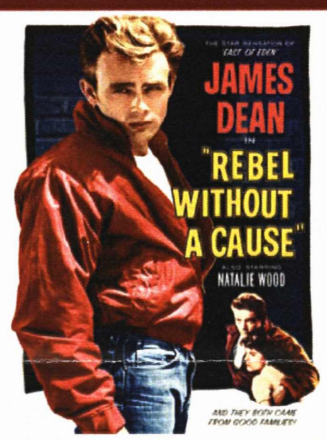
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ASB
Mount St. Mary's College Associated Student Body

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Brief introductory commentary by Dr. Sande Harte, Professor of Sociology

Athenian Week

Goddess Pottery

Tuesday, February 24

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Greek Feast & Games

Wednesday, February 25

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Athenian-Bucks

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For more information contact Meghan Soqui at meghsoqu@mymsmc.la.edu

YEARBOOK DEDICATION PAGES COMING!

Treasure your memories!!
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*Resident Assistant
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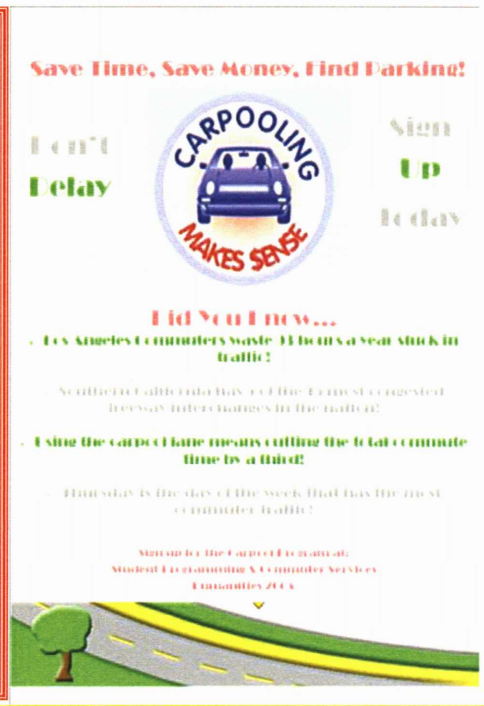
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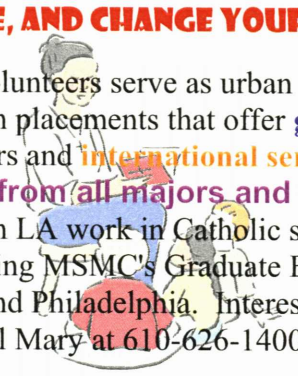
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Advisement Advisement

for *fall 2009* begins March 9.

You must meet with your advisor in order to register for fall 2009 courses.

Don't wait until the last possible moment to schedule an appointment.

Contact your advisor ASAP!

Be prepared when you meet with your advisor.



Here are some quick tips:

Freshmen	Sophomores
Are you on track to become a sophomore? You'll need to complete a total of 30 units by the end of summer, to progress to sophomore status. Don't put off your foreign language requirement, sign up for a class next semester. Don't put off your math requirement! Run a Program Evaluation report and discuss it with your faculty advisor during your appointment.	Is studying abroad an option for you? Discuss this with your advisor. Are there courses you should take during the summer to be on track with major and GE requirements? Run a Program Evaluation from WebAdvisor to check your requirements. Don't put off your math requirement, sign up for a class next semester. Check your math placement score on WebAdvisor, in the Test Summary section.
Juniors	**Seniors**
Now's the time to discuss your outstanding requirements with your advisor. Run a Program Evaluation from WebAdvisor, and take it with you to your appointment. You still have time to take a course this summer…don't get caught off guard! Almost done with your requirements? Do you want to add a minor? Don't delay! The deadline to add a minor is the end of your junior year.	Think you don't need to meet with your advisor? Think again! Your faculty advisors have wonderful insight about your chosen field. Ask questions about graduate school, post-baccalaureate programs, externships, and summer opportunities. Stay connected to your Mount Faculty Advisors.

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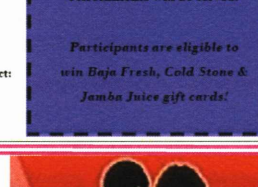
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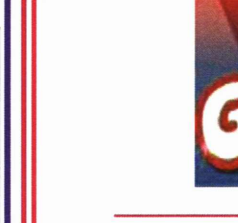
2009 Alumnae Panel

All students are welcome to ask questions & learn from successful Mount alumnae about their educational & career paths! Gain real-life advice from alumnae in the fields of:

LANGUAGE and CULTURE, BUSINESS & PSYCHOLOGY



Tuesday, March 10, 2009
1-2 p.m.
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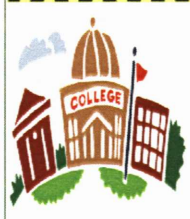
Whether you're a freshman or a senior, it's never too early or late to explore educational possibilities!

Our fair will offer you the opportunities to:

Speak to representatives from programs ranging from Education to Law to Medicine to Psychology

Gain information on colleges & universities statewide

Learn how to apply, finance & get admitted into YOUR desired graduate program



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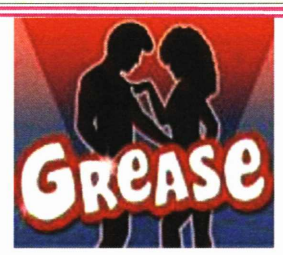
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Fair participants:

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- Antioch University
- Cal Lutheran University
- Cal State Northridge
- California Western School of Law
- Chapman University
- Claremont Colleges
- Cleveland Chiropractic College of LA
- Keck Graduate Institute
- Life Chiropractic College West
- Loma Linda University
- Loyola Law School
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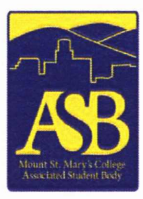
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FAST in solidarity with those who are hungry.
LEARN about the joys and challenges in the lives of our brothers and sisters around the world, and
GIVE sacrificial contributions to those in need around the world.
Watch for your Rice Bowl donation container and calendar around campus or contact Campus Ministry to get yours!
We will be collecting the bowls during Holy Week (the week just before Easter).
Learn more about the Lenten Operation Rice Bowl program at http://orb.crs.org today! Or, attend the Amnesty International/Doheny ASB sponsored event "Disaster Relief Help in Honduras" on Tuesday, March 10 at Doheny, and hear more about ORB and other Catholic Relief Services programs.

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The Confirmation candidates will meet at the Hunger Banquet instead of in the Chapel.

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Coming up!

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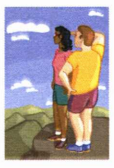
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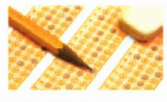
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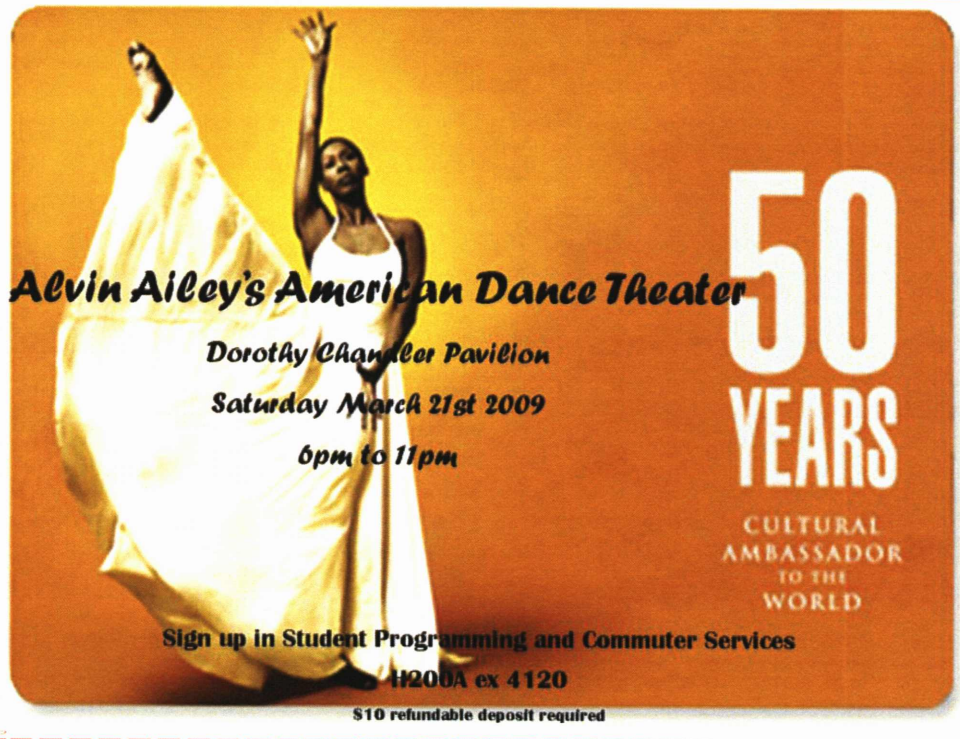


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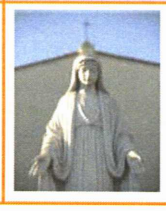


Oceanographer for a Day!
Sign-Ups in Student Programming

Invitation to Serve
Meet 8:00am@ Doheny



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3 on 3 Basketball Tournament
Sign ups at the Fitness Center





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Free Yoga workshop from 6-7pm.

Wednesday, March 18th
Free Belly Dance Workshop
7-8pm



Tuesday, March 24th
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bone Marrow Drive
10:30-2:30pm
Hannon Theatre Foyer

Wednesday, March 25th
Tennis Social
5pm



Advisement Advisement

for *fall 2009* begins March 9.

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"Turn Out,. Take Action"

Be part of this historic event!
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For more information go to
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WHITE HOUSE SUMMER INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

WANT TO GO SOMEWHERE FUN THIS SUMMER? WELL WE HAVE A GREAT TRIP FOR YOU! DON'T PASS UP THIS OPPORTUNITY TO GO TO D.C. BETWEEN MAY 22 AND AUGUST 14!

Application Submission deadline: March 22, 2009

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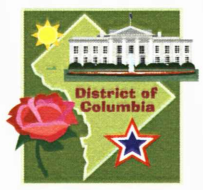
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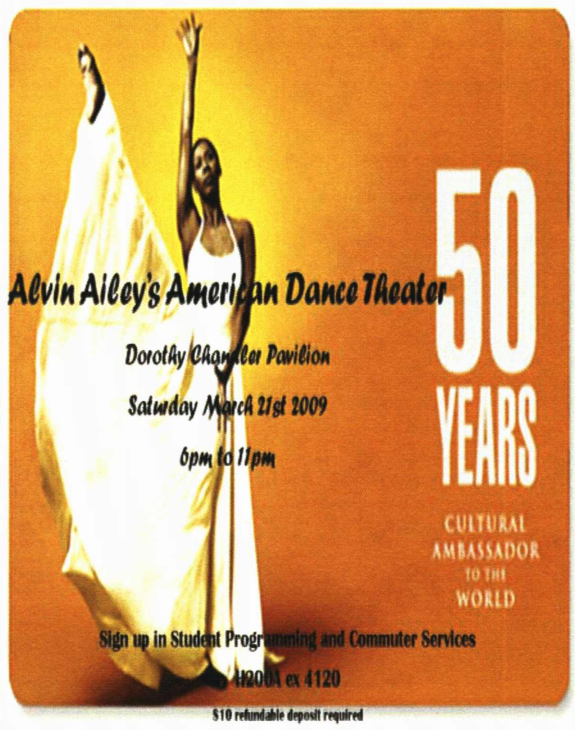
Office of the President and the Office of the Vice President where interns could be placed:

- The Office of Cabinet Affairs
- The Office of the First Lady
- The Office of Political Affairs
- The Office of White House Counsel
- The Domestic Policy Council



To download the application please visit www.whitehouse.gov/aboutinternships





MOUNT COMMUNITY NIGHT

Annual Talent Show Hosted by your Chalon ASB

March 19 In Hannon Theatre
From 8:00 to 10:00 PM

Come support clubs, staff, students, and friends performing for FREE!!!

Campus Ministry News

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Monday, March 16:
Visit the Sisters of St. Joseph at Carondelet Center and deliver Thank You cards, flowers and St. Patrick's Day treats. Gather at the Chalon Circle at 2 pm, and walk down the hill for a one hour visit.

Faculty, Staff and Students from both campuses are welcome!

Questions? Call Claudia Flores at x4125

Wednesday, March 18
Bless and share bread in honor of St. Joseph!

In this Italian tradition in honor of St. Joseph, everyone is invited to bring two loaves of your favorite bread (one to share with the poor, and one to share with each other).

We gather to bless and enjoy the breads at 11:20-11:30 am (between classes) at Chalon: in the Humanities Building Patio, next to the St. Joseph Administration Building.

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Thursday, March 19
St. Joseph's Day!

A Mass of Thanksgiving for the Sisters of St. Joseph will be celebrated at 4:30 pm in Doheny's Mercy Chapel.

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CLC (Christian Life Community)
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Doheny's Campus Ministry office
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OPERATION RICE BOWL

Operation Rice Bowl is Catholic Relief Services' Lenten solidarity program that calls all participants to:
PRAY with their families and faith communities.
FAST in solidarity with those who are hungry.
LEARN about the joys and challenges in the lives of our brothers and sisters around the world, and
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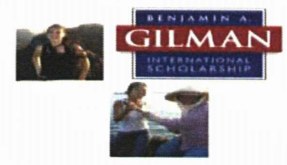
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June 1 — July 9

Monday through Thursday

Conveniently located at the **Doheny Campus**

8:00 am – 10:05 am	**HIS 1A** *Western Civilization* (GS IIIC)
10:15 am – 12:20 pm	**PHI 21** *Moral Values & Ethical Decisions* (GS VB2 & VI) Fulfills pre-requisite for upper division ethics courses including Bioethics.
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Registration via WebAdvisor begins April 13.



WASHINGTON SEMESTER *at American University*

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Autism Symposium
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Doheny Campus
From 9:30 am to 3:00 pm

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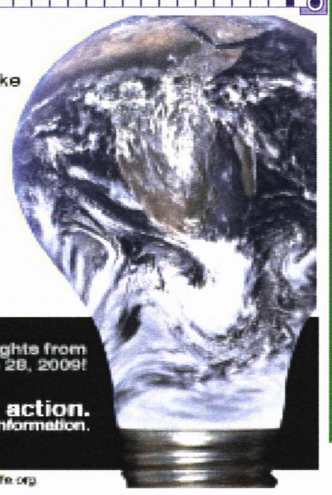
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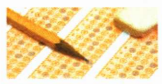
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It's A Woman's World!

How to Thrive and Prosper in a Traditionally "Male" Business or Industry



Who: Michele Rhilinger, Vice President Central Sales Weyerhaeuser Company

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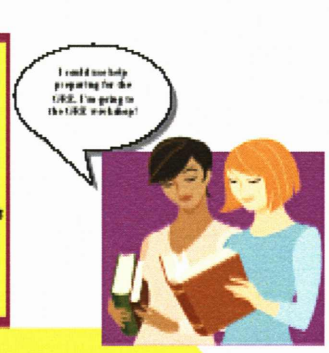


Date:
Tuesday, March 31, 2009
1:00p.m.- 2:00p.m.
Location:
Humanities 204
Speakers:
Julio Flores, Director of Advisory Services &
Zulema Garcia, Partner in Audit Practice (& Mount alumnae)
Cost:
FREE!
Who:
All Mount students from all class levels & majors!

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Are you interested in going to Grad School but unsure about the GRE?

Career Services & TestMasters present:



GRE: THE WORKSHOP

The Graduate Record Exam (GRE) is one of the most important factors in the Grad School admissions process.

Don't miss this invaluable opportunity to increase your understanding of this critical test.

Rachel Vincent, Director of Research & Development for TestMasters, scored in the 99th percentile on an official GRE. Rachel will cover real GRE questions, examining the underlying concepts of the test, as well as exposing flaws in attendance to several of TestMasters' powerful methods and techniques.

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Tuesday, March 24, 2009

1:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m.

Humanities 204

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It's FREE!

Campus Ministry News

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in the Doheny cafeteria
Join us for a lunchtime conversation about gay and lesbian issues and the Catholic Church with your Resident Campus Minister. Is the Catholic Church a welcoming place for gay individuals and communities? What does sexual identity have to do with faith? What do YOU think? Bring your lunch and join us for a lunchtime conversation about these questions, and other issues pertaining to the gay community and the Catholic Church.

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24 hours a day on the web:
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To obtain a nomination form:
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2. Stop by the ISAE Office
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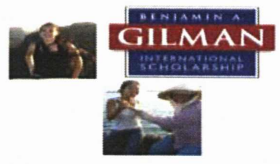
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2 partial scholarships available!!

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The Dark Knight 5:00pm
Hannon Theater

Saturday 3/28

Athenian Café
Time: 4:30pm to 6:00pm
In the Cafeteria
Come make a spring basket, get a free pastry and a free drink, play board and Wii games, and enter the raffle to win a Starbucks gift card

Sunday 3/29



JOIN US FOR MASS!
Sundays at 7:00 PM
In Mary Chapel**
**Feeding the Homeless immediately following

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CAREER SERVICES PRESENTS: Information Session with KPMG

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Come learn about the different service lines that KPMG has to offer and discover what it takes to become one of their interns!



Date:
Tuesday, March 31, 2009
1:00p.m.- 2:00p.m.
Location:
Humanities 204
Speakers:
Julio Flores, Director of Advisory Services &
Zulema Garcia, Partner in Audit Practice (& Mount alumnae)
Cost:
FREE!
Who:
All Mount students from all class levels & majors!

For more information contact:
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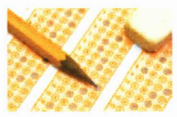
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H 204



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Campus Center



LSAT: THE WORKSHOP
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For more information contact:
Career Services
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Take the Strong Interest Inventory Assessment to determine your preferences as they relate to work it's easy and free!

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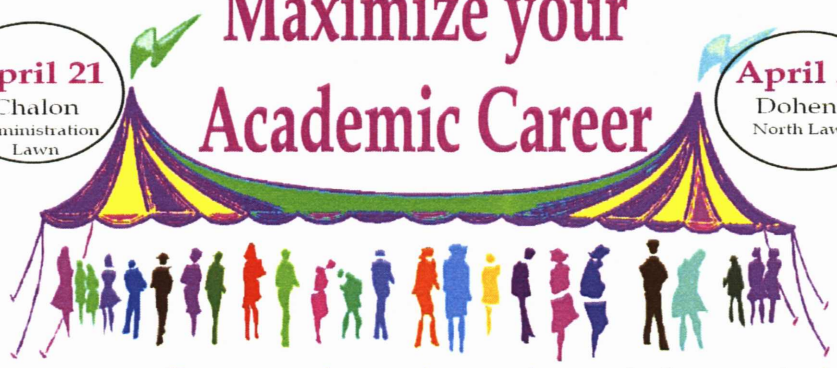
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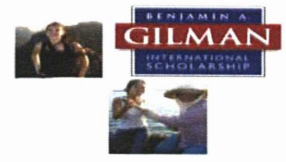
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Tip of the Week

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1. Forecourt of the Stars at Grauman's Chinese Theatre.
2. Hollywood Walk of Fame. http://www.hollywoodchamber.net/icons/history.asp
3. Hollywood Sign. www.hollywoodsign.org/ - 6k
4. Venice Beach Boardwalk.
5. TV Show Taping. www.discoverlosangeles.com
6. La Brea Tar Pits – Located in Hancock Park between Curson and Fairfax.
7. Getty Museum - The Museum is free, but parking is $7 per car.
8. Getty Villa - The Museum is free, but advance, timed tickets are required.
9. Pueblo de Los Angeles Historic Monument - Olvera Street
10. California Science Center - General Admission is free. Parking is $6.
11. Counseling appointment at Counseling and Psychological Services!
 Counseling and Psychological Services (310) 954-4114

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The Residence Life Office will like to Congratulate the RA staff for the 2009-2010 academic year.

Resident Assistants

Arlene Fernandez
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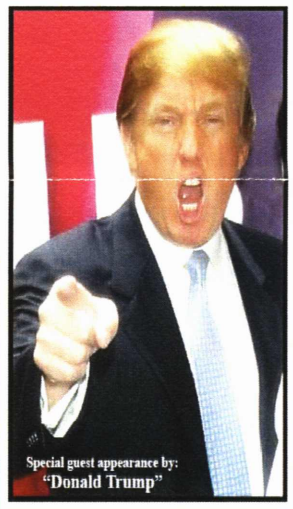
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Spring 2009

A monthly talk and discussion series featuring MSMC faculty
Hannon Parlor/ 1:00p.m.-2:00p.m./ Complimentary Lunch Served

Have you ever wondered what your professor does in his/her own time?

Now you can.
Get to know a MSMC professor over FREE Lunch.
Join Us

Tuesday, April 7, 2009
1:00pm-2:00pm
Hannon Parlor



Featured speaker: Dr. Julia Chang
A professor in the Biological Science department and an expert in Neurobiology and Anatomy.

Please RSVP by:
April 3, 2009

For more information and to sign-up contact
Student Programming office at (310) 954-4120 or e-mail activitiesc@msmc.la.edu

No classes on Monday April 20th. Offices will be open

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Campus Ministry News

HOLY WEEK

the most sacred days of the Christian year:
a time marked by simplicity, quiet reflection, fasting and prayer.

It is a time to think about turning off the tv, the ipod, maybe even the cell phone...
to give yourself some quiet and inner space.
It is the time to refrain from parties and noise...
to give yourself a chance to especially enjoy and appreciate the impending 50-day celebrations of Easter, that *just begins* next Sunday, April 12!

The Very Most Important Part of Holy Week
is the
TRIDUUM
this Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

OPERATION RICE BOWL

Operation Rice Bowl is Catholic Relief Services' Lenten solidarity program that calls all participants to:
PRAY with their families and faith communities.
FAST in solidarity with those who are hungry.
LEARN about the joys and challenges in the lives of our brothers and sisters around the world, and
GIVE sacrificial contributions to those in need around the world.
Watch for your Rice Bowl donation container and calendar around campus or contact Campus Ministry to get yours!

Coming up!

The EASTER SACRAMENTS of Baptism, Confirmation and First Eucharist for members of the Mount community will be celebrated at the Sunday Mass on April 19, 7 pm, in Chalon's Mary Chapel

Save the date, and come to celebrate!

GOT LENT?
The magazine US CATHOLIC has "a collection of some of our best spiritual reflections and practical advice and information on the coming Lenten season. Make the most of your Lent."
http://www.uscatholic.org/node/1721

ANTI-HUMAN TRAFFICKING NEWSLETTER
Check it out at
http://homepage.mac.com/srjeanschafersds/stoptraffic/index.html

May your Holy Week be filled with blessings and peace, leading you, and all our troubled world, to the joyous new life of Easter!

Blessings of Lent on you and your loved ones
from your Campus Ministry team!

DOHENY Phone: (213) 477-2672
Office: House 7
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Office: 1st Fl. Humanities

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Learning Assistance Programs/ISAE

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Bravo!

Sign up TODAY in front of the Learning Center!

ISAE Seniors – Be sure to call X4144 to RSVP for the **ISAE BRAVO Banquet**: Friday, April 17, 2009. If you are graduating and have not received an invitation, please contact the ISAE Office ASAP.

Are you worried about plagiarizing?

Learn how to identify and distinguish between plagiarizing and paraphrasing. Make sure you don't **FAIL** your paper because you just didn't know!

Thursday 4/9 1:00-2:00pm *H-204*

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Major Discovery Fair

Maximize your Academic Career

April 21 Chalon Administration Lawn

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The fun starts at 1:00 PM !

End of the Year Events

Wednesday, April 15	**Athenian Awards Reception**
Friday, April 17	**ISAE Bravo Banquet**
Friday, April 17& Saturday, April 18	**Pilipino Cultural Night**
Sunday, April 19	**Sacrament Mass**
Saturday, April 25	**Mary's Day**
Friday, May 1	**Senior Farewell Dinner**
Saturday, May 9	**Baccalaureate Liturgy**
Monday, May 11	**Commencement**

ACADEMIC ADVISEMENT

SUMMER SCHOOL @ THE MOUNT

ONLY $30 PER UNIT!**

June 1 — July 9

Monday through Thursday

Conveniently located at the **Doheny Campus**

8:00 am – 10:05 am	**HIS 1A** *Western Civilization* (GS IIIC)
10:15 am – 12:20 pm	**PHI 21** *Moral Values & Ethical Decisions* (GS VB2 & VI) Fulfills pre requisite for upper division ethics courses including Bioethics.
	ENG 1C *Freshmen English* Students currently enrolled in English 1A must register in either English 1B or 1C for the summer or fall semester. Students must be enrolled in a composition course until they fulfill the Written Communication GE requirement. (GS 1A; this course is a prerequisite to ALL upper division courses)

Registration via WebAdvisor begins April 13.

Academic Advisement

310-954-4070/H401 advisement@msmc.la.edu

Visit us online for more information: www.msmc.la.edu/advisement

DROP- IN HOURS:

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
CHALON	9:00 AM - 11:00 AM	1:00 PM - 3:00 PM	BY APPT. ONLY	1:00 PM - 3:00 PM	BY APPT. ONLY

Save the Date!!!

What: Mary's Day
When: Saturday April 25, 2009
*Invitations have been sent out



Don't Forget!!!

No Classes on Easter Monday April 13!



Thank you to all who

Made the Cut

and to everyone who supported the cause!



9 hairstylists volunteering - $0
3 hours of hair cutting - $0
21 people who made the cut - $0
25 ponytails - $0
318 inches of hair - $0
Giving women and children with cancer an incredible instrument of self-expression and the gift of **HOPE** - **PRICELESS**



Congratulations to
Amber Tucker
Rachel Gutierrez
Jessica Rojas
for winning our *Make the Cut* raffle.

Please come by to Student Affairs in Humanities 200 to pick up your fun and surprising prize.

and a special thank you to
TONI & GUY Hairdressing Academy
for volunteering their time to style our girls hair
and supporting G8 - Beautiful Lengths - *Make the Cut*

Sponsored by the Office of Student Affairs

This Weekend at the Mount

Friday 4/10	Saturday 4/11	Sunday 4/12
Good Friday No Classes College Closed	No Events Scheduled	Happy Easter!

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ATTENTION SENIORS!!!

Announcement!

Graduation Ticket Distribution ends April 17th..

Please pick them up from the Student Affairs office from 9am-4pm.

What you need to pick-up tickets

- Students must be on the "Official Graduates List" provided by the Registrars office
- Students must show MSMC or Photo ID
- Students must sign that you received your graduation tickets.

For more information: commencement@msmc.la.edu

Fitness Center Activities



Wednesday, April 15th Sunset Hike at 6pm.
Meet at the Fitness Center. Hope to see you there.

Monday, April 20th.....last Chance to prove your worth on the Basketball Court. Knockout! Sign up at the Fitness Center if you would like to participate.



TREASURE YOUR MEMORIES



ATHENIAN YEARBOOK DEDICATION PAGES ARE AVAILABLE FOR EVERYONE!

Limited Space Available

Space for dedications in the 2008-2009 Yearbook is limited and will be accepted on a *first come, first serve basis* to those who turn in a complete application that includes the following by ***Friday, April 17, 2009***

1. **Application form (available in Student Programming and Commuter Services or Doheny Building 7)**
2. **Full payment**
3. **A copy/sample of the dedication page including pictures or artwork**

***These pages will be in color!**

1/4 page	1/2 page	Full Page
$20	$35	$50



Please note the following:

1. **Photos and artwork will not be returned**
2. **Check grammar and spelling for corrections before submission**
3. **Yearbook Staff reserves the right to edit or refuse any copy**
4. **You may be asked to meet with the yearbook advisor or staff to discuss how to layout your page**
5. **This application form, along with the dedication page copy and full payment (cash or check – written out to MSMC Yearbook) must be received by *Friday, April 17* at the Student Programming & Commuter Services Office. Please put everything that is required in an envelope addressed to:** *Farrah Mullings, Yearbook Advisor, Student Programming & Commuter Services, Chalon Campus*
6. **There are NO REFUNDS**
7. **Space is limited and will be accepted on a first come, first serve basis**

ATHENIAN YEARBOOK

QUESTIONS: *Contact Farrah Mullings, Yearbook Advisor fmullings@msmc.la.edu or (310) 954-4121*

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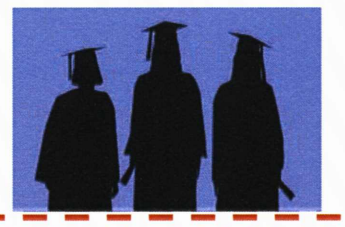
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Attention Seniors!

Last day to order cap and gown is April 20th, 2009

Please place orders in the Campus Bookstore. Any orders placed after this date will be charged extra shipping and handling.



Student Handbook Cover

Vote for the 2009-2010 Student Handbook Cover

Stop by Hannon Patio to vote

Monday, April 13 -Thursday, April 16

11:00a.m.-1:00p.m.



Sponsored by: The Student Programming and Commuter Services Office

Any questions please contact us at: activitiesc@msmc.la.edu or ext. 4120

Mount St. Mary's appreciates all of its student employees!
Special Congratulations to the employee's of the year.

Chalon-Valeria Rizo: Student Health Services
Doheny-Karina Macia-LRC

Thank You

Thank You CSN Staff!

Denisse Garcia	Nancy Saavedra
Zully Garcia	Brittney Saldana
Refugio Herrera	Bianca Wilson
Jeanne Ngo	Sanam Yaghtin



Are you interested in going to Law School but nervous about getting accepted?

Career Services & TestMasters present:

Law can be challenging. Thank goodness for this LSAT workshop!



LSAT: THE WORKSHOP

The LSAT is the most important factor in the Law School admissions process.

Don't miss this invaluable opportunity to increase your understanding of this critical test.

Amelia Brasher, one of TestMasters most experienced instructors, who scored in the 99th percentile on an official LSAT, will cover real LSAT questions, examining the underlying concepts of the test, as well as exposing those in attendance to several of TestMasters' powerful methods and techniques.

TestMasters is the finest and most comprehensive LSAT preparation course in the world!

For more information contact:
Career Services
Humanities 401
(310) 954-4070

Tuesday, April 14, 2009

1:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m.

Humanities 204

All students from all majors & class levels are welcome to attend!
It's FREE!

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LEARNING CENTER STUDENT WORKERS:

ISAE and LAP would like to thank you for an outstanding job this year. You have made this office a brighter place to work at! THANK YOU!!!

-ISAE/LAP Staff

IMPROVE YOUR GRAMMAR SKILLS!

Are you having a tough time with grammar? Do you have TOO MANY red marks on your essays?

This workshop will cover many of the common grammar mistakes including incorrect punctuation, sentence fragments and run-on sentences. Come learn more about how to develop clear and concise essays and research papers.

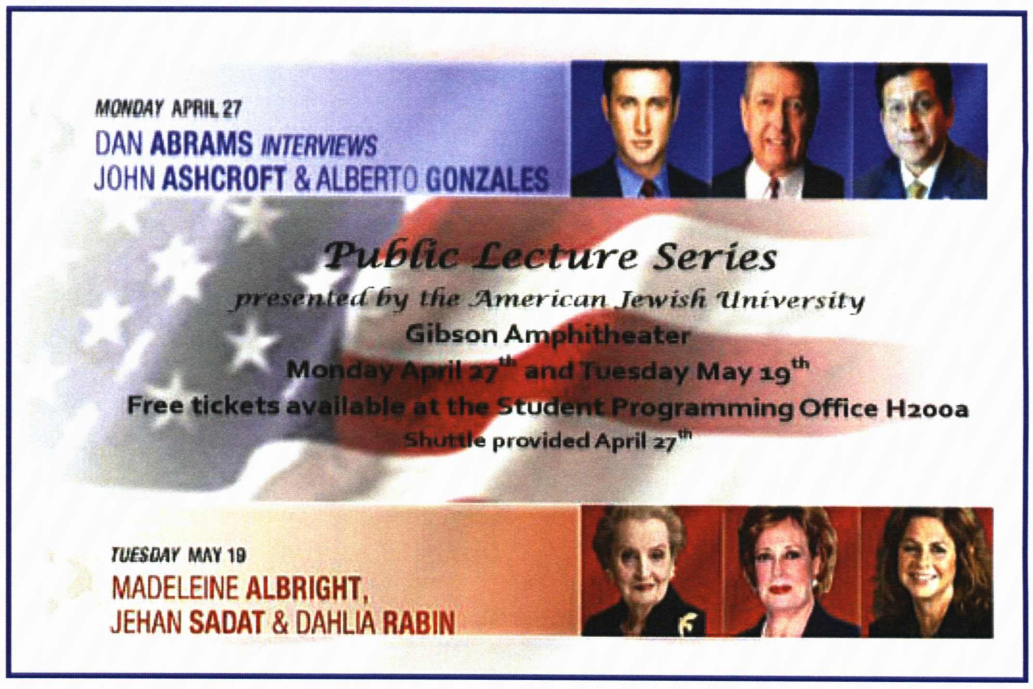
Th 4/16 1:00-2:00pm *Grammar* LAP Workshop

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All residents must vacate the halls by the above-stated dates. Extensions for late check-outs will not be approved. Residents may not be in any part of the residence halls after the halls close. If any resident is found in the residence halls after closing they will face a $50 per hour fine and disciplinary action.



Athenian Cafes:

All residents and commuters are welcome to come. Join us for the next Athenian Cafe taking place on **Saturday, April 18, 2009** from 4:30 to 6:00 pm in the Cafeteria by the Coffee Bar. We will have the Wii, board games, and a craft at every Athenian Café. Each person will get a free drink and pastry. Raffle and prizes will be provided!

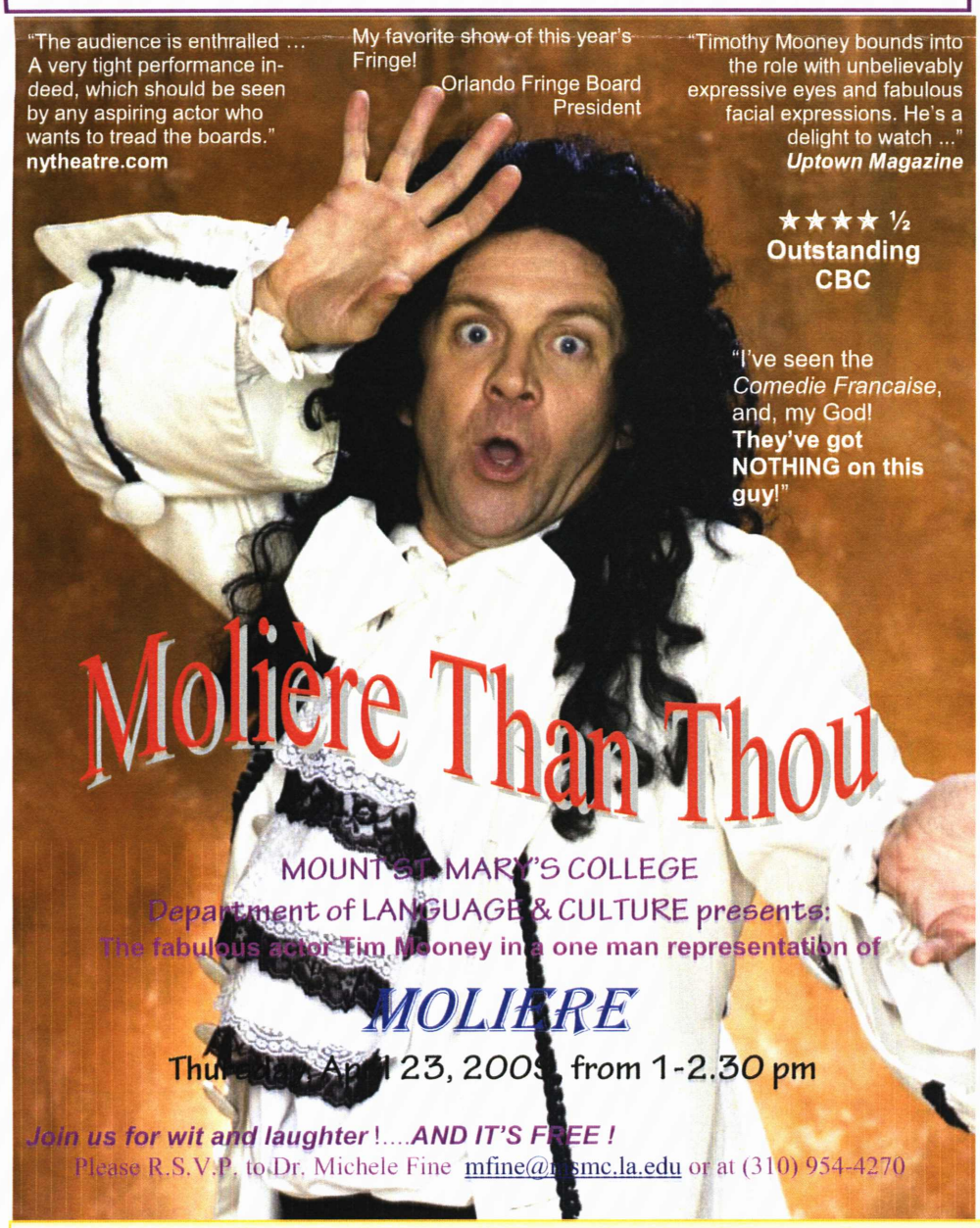
Spring 2009 Athenian Cafes:

(4:30 pm to 6pm by the Coffee Bar)

Saturday, April 18 (De-stress Activity)

Sunday, May 3 (Decorate a cupcake)





TAKE $100 TO THE BANK

Register for a chance to win a $100 Bookstore Gift Card at your bookstore's buyback counter today



Brought to you by
MSMC Chalon Campus Bookstore

Mary's Day 2009

Saturday, April 25th

Honor Society Instillation 11:00am- 12:00pm	**Hannon Parlor** Kappa Gamma Pi
12:15pm- 12:45pm	Delta Epsilon Sigma
1:00pm- 2:15pm	Sigma Delta Pi
1:20pm- 1:30pm	Alpha Mu Gamma
Mary's Day Awards Convocation 2:00pm	Hannon Theatre
"Like a Lady"- Senior Art Show 4:00pm	Drudis- Biada- Art Gallery

For more information contact the Student Programming and Commuter Services at ext. 4120

CPS Tip of the Week: Worried about finances? Ways to cope are: Strengthen personal and family relationships by increasing the time spent with supportive family and friends. Practice positive communication with loved ones by listening and expressing appreciation. Make personal health a priority (because it is essential for coping with stress). Strengthen spiritual resources. Remain aware of ongoing changes that contribute to stress, and postpone new commitments if they will add stress. Contact Counseling and Psychological Services (CPS) to discuss ways to manage financial worry or other concerns at (310) 954-4114.

This Weekend at the Mount

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Pangkat Pilipino Presents: Pilipino Cultural Night 7:00 PM, Hannon Theatre	Athenian Café 4:30pm- 6:00pm At the Coffee Bar	The EASTER SACRAMENTS of Baptism, Confirmation and First Eucharist for members of the Mount community will be celebrated at the Sunday Mass on April 19, 7 pm, in Chalon's Mary Chapel

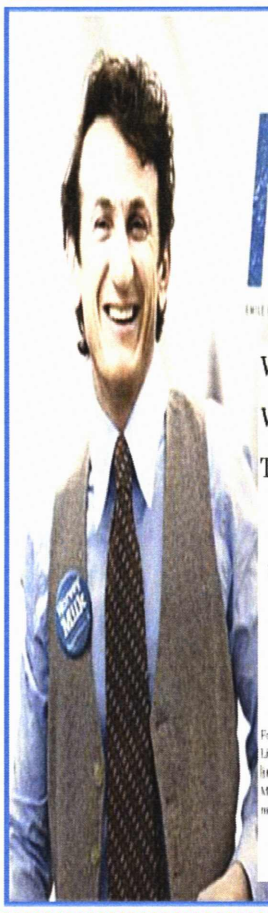
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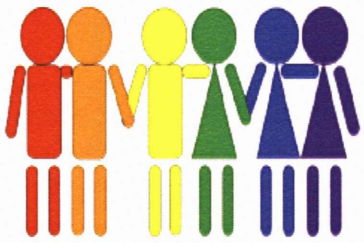
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GAY AND LESBIANS INITIATING DIALOGUE FOR EQUALITY

GLIDE



Come Join us for a Presentation!

The mission of GLIDE is to eliminate homophobia by providing the general public with factual information and diverse personal experiences about homosexuality. We accomplish this through live, interactive presentations tailored to specific audiences. We target educational, business, civic, social, political and religious groups in every ethnic and cultural population.

When: Monday, April 20th
Where: Hannon Theatre
Time: 6:00PM

There will be a screening of MILK following the Presentation at 7:00PM
Free cookies and brownies will be offered after the film!

ASB

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Campus Ministry News

The joyous season of Easter will continue until Pentecost which this year is on May 31st so we will be celebrating all season long!

Congratulations to the following students and friends!
Baptism

Jerico Diggs
the son of Amber Strickler, and of Deven Diggs
and the nephew and (soon-to-be) godson of Doheny student Cassandra Holland.

Adrian Ray Gonzalez
the daughter of Stephanie Perez, and of Raymond Gonzalez,
and the nephew of Chalon student Cecilia Gonzalez.

Ely Antonia Medina Hernandez
the daughter of *Weekend College student Susana Medina*, and of Pedro Medina.

Marco Antonio Peralta
the son of *Doheny student Yoselin Ortiz*, and of Marco Antonio Peralta

First Eucharist and Confirmation
Dianne Locquiao, Jeffrey Pablo, Katarina Esmeralda, Nina Del Rosario, Allison Lopez

Confirmation
Alonso Cruz, Leslie Giron, Lizbeth Hernandez, Lucia Ledezma, Luis Garcia, Maria Cruz, Maricela Gama, Mayra Sanchez, Melissa Covarrvbias, Pedro Garcia, Robb Hernandez
Rosemary Cuevas, Salina Sells, Tamara Alvarado, Yanet Rodriguez, Yesenia Recines,
Alejandra Alvarez, Arnulfo Cruz, Bernardo Cruz, Cassandra Holland, Christina Jimenez
Claudia Pineda, Cristin Alatorre, Cristina-Perez-Lopez, Eileen Granados, Fredi Cruz, Jacqueline Zaldana, Jonathan Cruz, Jose Guzman, Josephine Solorio

EASTERTIME COOKIES!
Monday, April 20 at 2:00pm in the Campus Ministry offices
Humanities 1st Floor at Chalon *and* House 7 at Doheny
in celebration of the Easter season!
Everyone is welcome!

Happy EARTH DAY!
Wednesday, April 22
Learn about and celebrate Earth Day from a Catholic perspective:
about the patron saint of the earth, St. Francis,
why Catholics care for creation, and a way to send an Earth Day card.
http://www.americancatholic.org/Features/Francis/earthday.asp

EASTER LUNCHTIME CONVERSATIONS
Led by Jessica Coblentz, your Doheny Resident Campus Minister
A Green Faith
Thursday, April 23 from 1 – 2pm in the Doheny cafeteria sofa lounge in the back
Join us for a lunchtime discussion about environmentalism & Catholicism.
All Are Welcome!

Coming up!
The EASTER EGGSTRAVAGANZA is coming to Chalon!
Monday, April 27
We're helping everyone to DE-STRESS, so look for us (and a certain bunny) in the circle!

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DENIM DAY 2009

Date: 4/22/2009
Time: 2:00-5:00PM
Where: The CIRCLE

Associated Student Body

"We are here to serve you"

DENIM DAY IN LA 2009
SEXUAL VIOLENCE PREVENTION AND EDUCATION CAMPAIGN
WEDNESDAY APRIL 22, 2009

Chalon ASB is proud to participate in the 11th Annual Denim Day in LA 2009, a campaign to raise awareness and educate the public about rape and sexual assault.

On this day we as the Mount Community unite against the sexual assault of girls, women, boys and men. We stand in support of survivors and break the silence to end sexual violence.

Make sure to wear your jeans as a visible sign of protest against the myths that still surround sexual violence!

Highlights:

- A Speech by President Dr. Jacqueline Powers Dowd
- Guest Speakers- Including an Expert, Survivor, and Volunteer
- Several different activities including- The Pledge Against Violence, Support/Inspiration Messages, and much more!
- Showcasing of Psychology 186 Violence Against Women Class Project(s)

For More Information Contact
Meagan Aguilo @ meaguilo@mymail.lmu.edu
OR
Linda Rones @ lindrone@msmc.la.edu

ASB



YOUR ASSIGNMENT: SAVE THE PLANET!
EARTH DAY IS A GOOD TIME TO START
Please join us at the
EARTH DAY FAIR
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22
11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m., in the Circle
TAKE THE GREEN GENERATION PLEDGE!!
Ask questions! (Even get ANSWERS!)
Learn solutions and "best practices" to help our Mother Earth breathe easier!
Munch on locally-grown produce!
Score on some free gifts!
Get your face painted ("Creative Faces" is BACK)!
ABOVE ALL, MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN YOUR WORLD
SEE YOU ON WEDNESDAY IN THE CIRCLE!

Mount St. Mary's College Associated Student Body
&
Pangkat Pilipino
Proudly Present...

GABNet Benefit Concert

stand, give, step together

THURSDAY, APRIL 23
7PM-11PM
MOUNT ST. MARY'S COLLEGE
ROOM CHALON LA, LOS ANGELES, CA 90049

Entrance fee: $8/Person (Includes dinner, presentation, and concert)
100% of proceeds will go to GABRIELA Network

7pm-8pm: Traditional Pilipino dinner (the Circle)
8pm-9pm: GABNet presentation (Hannon Theater)
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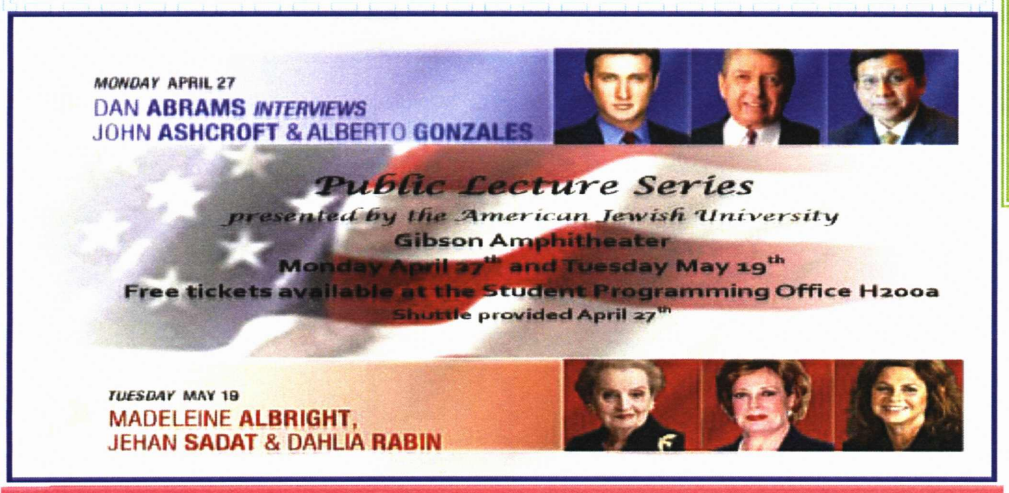
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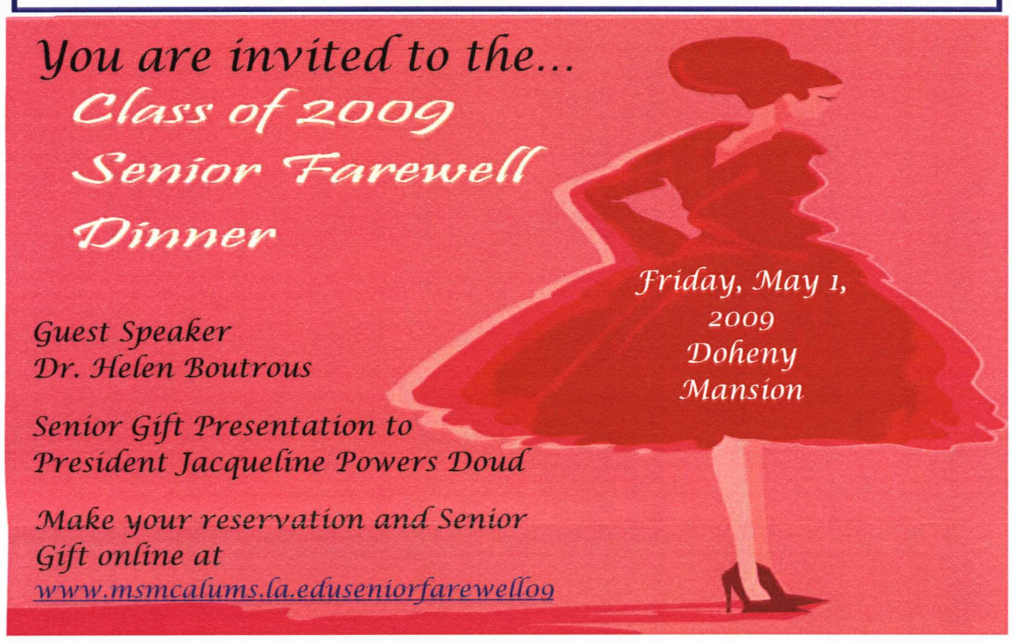
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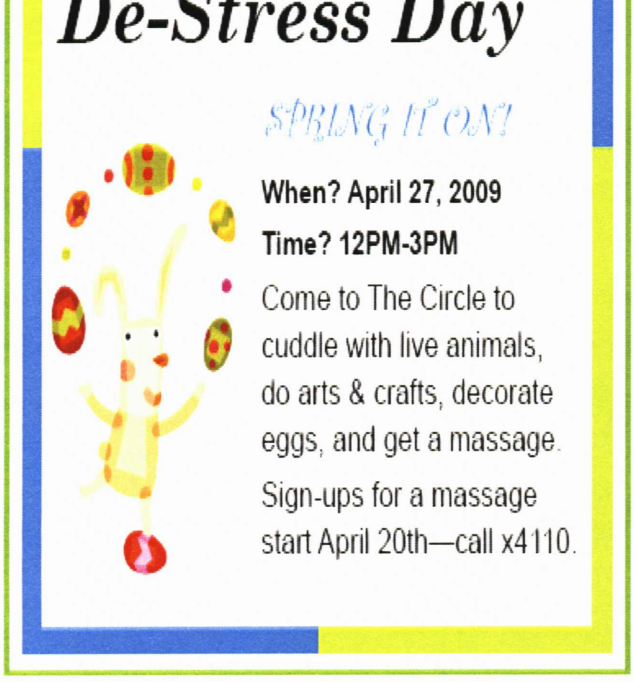
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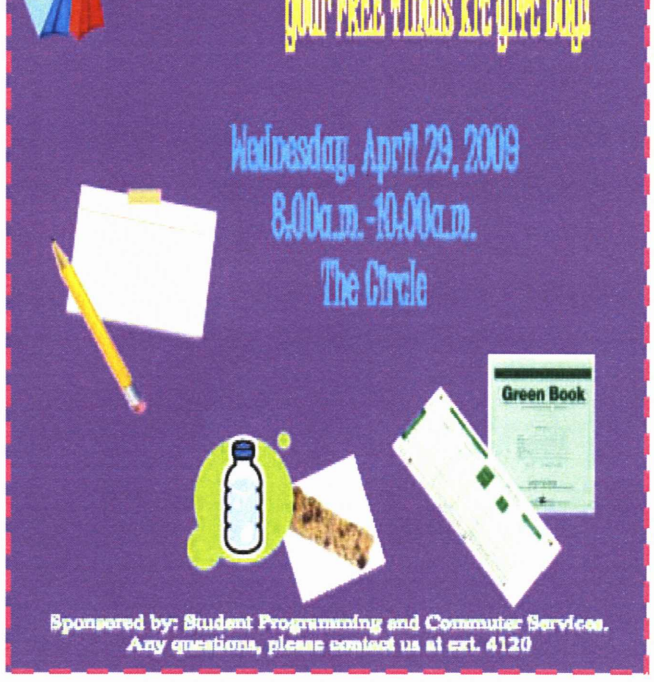
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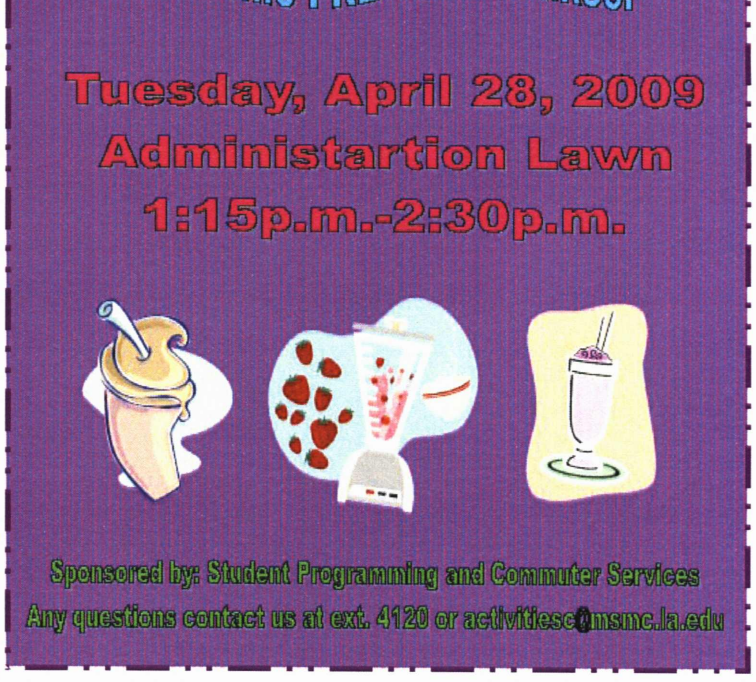
Please make your appointment with your ISAE counselor for your ISAE EXIT meeting. You must do this before graduation! Stop by the ISAE Office TODAY!











ACADEMIC ADVISEMENT

Do you know French, Spanish, or Japanese? Know enough to place into a higher level course or fulfill your foreign language GE requirement? Sign up to take the language placement exam on **April 30, 2009**.

MATH Placement Exams are HERE!!! Sign up for the Algebra or Calculus placement exam in our office today! **April 28, 2009**
REMEMBER: Math placement exam scores are valid for 2 years ONLY. You may have to retake the exam if you have not taken a math course in the last two years, and still have an outstanding Math GE requirement.

ATTENTION New Transfer Students! Submit your Final Transcripts by **May 5, 2009**. Remember, you only have one semester to contest your Transfer Credit Evaluation. For more information visit us online or stop by during posted drop-in hours.

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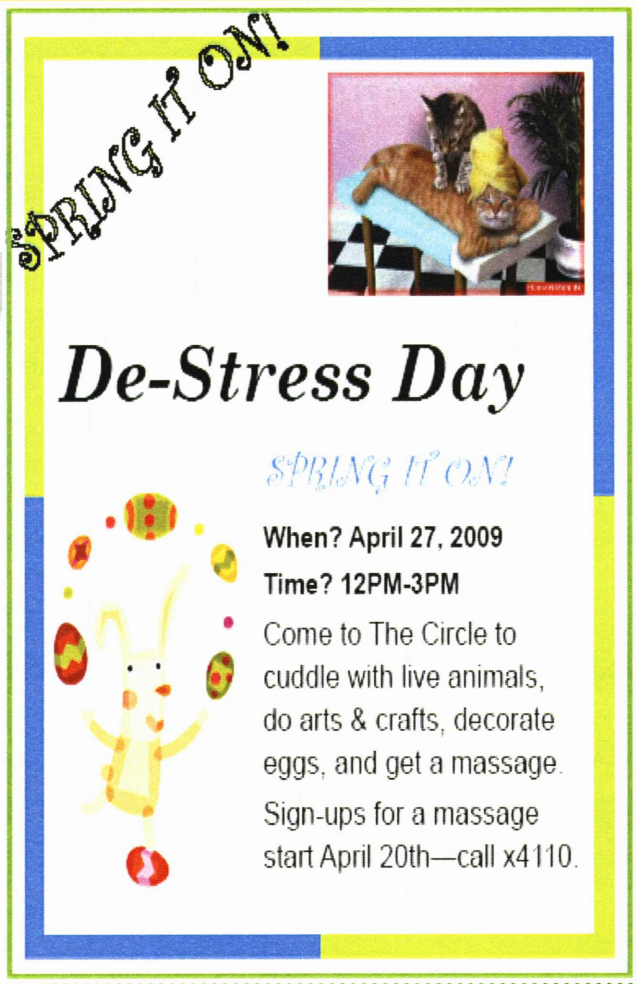
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Fall 2009 Semester - Returning Students

URGENT!

Clearance Procedures for the Fall 2009 Account

Letter, Forms, etc can be accessed at the Mount's website, via the quick links to Business Office Website to "Forms and Financial Documents" www.msmc.la.edu/pages/847.asp.

FINANCIAL CLEARANCE DEADLINE - MAY 28, 2009 (THURSDAY)

Financial Clearance

1. Payment in Full or notifying the Business Office which Method/s of Payment (Financial Aid Credits, Waivers, TMS Payment Plan, and/or application of Work Study Earnings) will be to clear/settle the Account.

2. Submission of the completed Agreement/Forms and documents listed on the **Clearance Checklist** (from the above mentioned website), whether or not the Account has an Amount Due.

Financial Restriction/Late Clearance Fee

Student's Account, not cleared by the above Deadline, will be put On Hold and will be charged the Late Clearance Fee of $200.00.

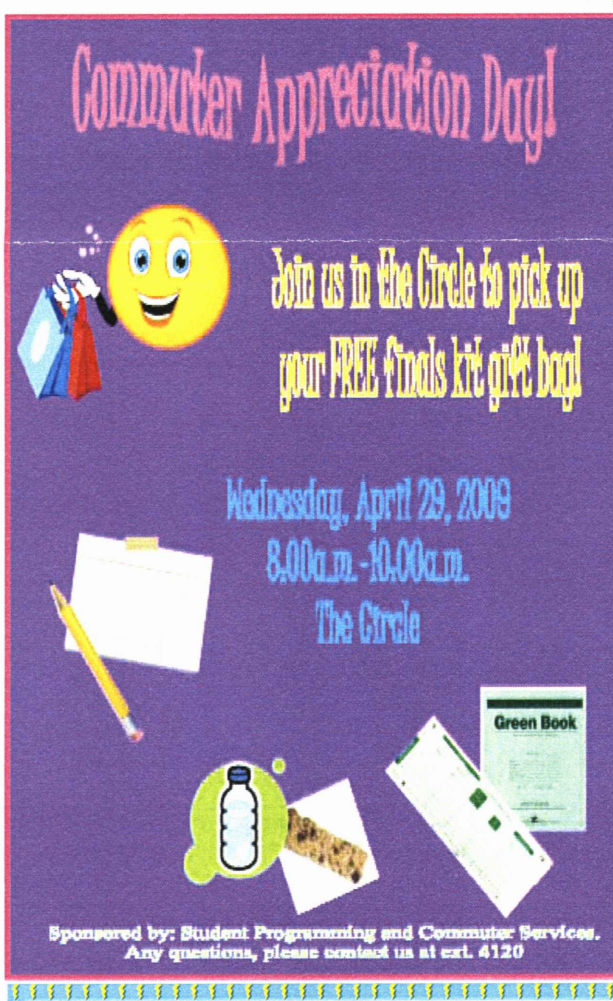
Statement of Account

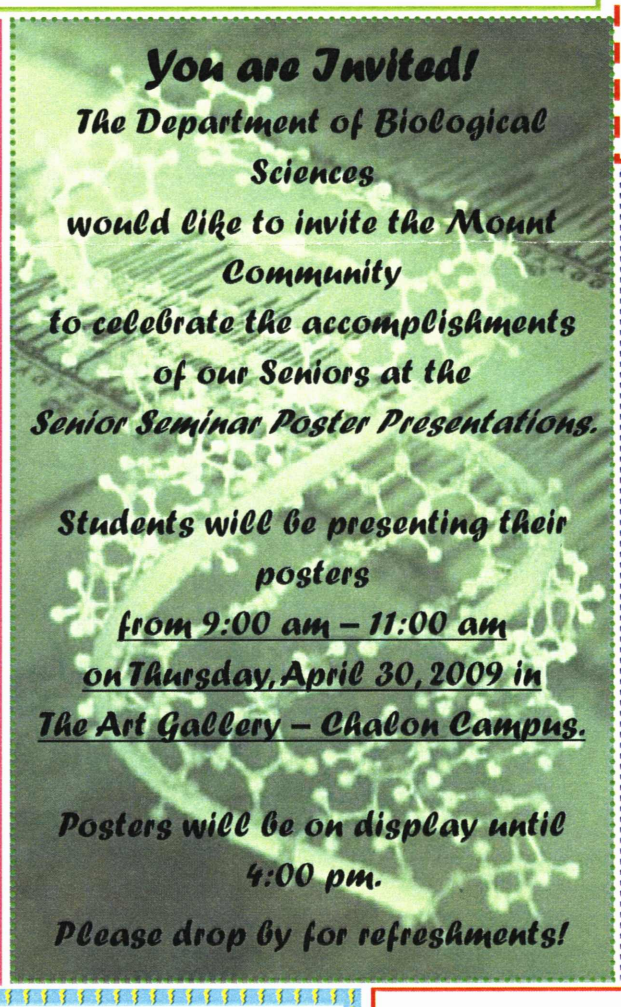
The Fall 2009 Statement of Account was on April 14, 2009 as follows:

Residents – To Campus mailbox
Commuters – To Preferred Address in the system

If not received by April 20th, please call (310) 954-4040 or send e-mail to Chalon Business Office (BusOfficeChalon@msmc.la.edu)

-The Business Office Staff





Attention MSMC Students!

There is a new procedure to process your Health Insurance Waivers.

Questions and Answers

Who does this affect?
All who are insured and covered by their own personal health insurance plan.

If this is you:
Please visit the Mount's website and quick link to the Business Office Webpage to Forms and Financial Documents at www.msmc.la.edu/pages/847.asp and click on the Health Insurance Waiver Link to opt out of the Mount's health insurance plan. This process must be done prior to the semester start date to waive the insurance fee that will automatically be charged to your account.

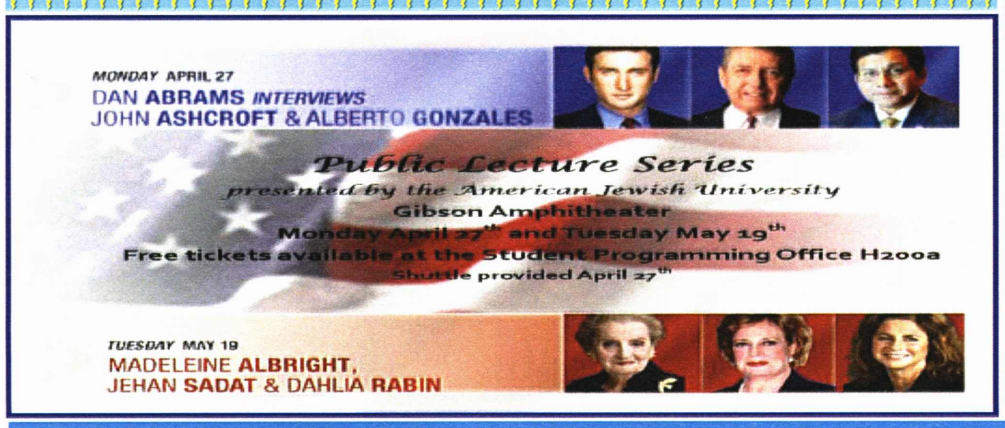
What if I choose the Mount's Health Insurance?
You do not need to complete this waiver if you elect to choose the Mount's health insurance plan. Please contact the Business for more information or visit the website at the link provided.

Fitness Center

To Do:

All Frequent Focus Card Participants please come by the Chalon Fitness Center to pick up your free gift for taking part this year.

Thank you!



Tell us what you think!!!



Complete an Advisor Evaluation and tell us why your advisor should receive the "Advisor of the Year" Award...
And you automatically enter to win a $30 Target Gift Card!

TARGET

The evaluation process helps the Academic Advisement Center address your concerns and also lets your advisor(s) know how much you value them. You can complete more than one evaluation online for each of your Majors / Minors.

For more information, please contact the Academic Advisement Centers at:
Chalon – H401 / 310.954.4070 OR
Doheny – Bldg. 3, Rm. 107 213.477.2577

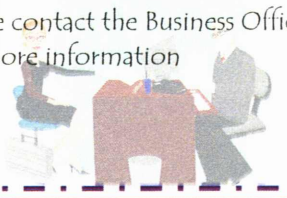
Attention all Seniors!

If you have received an institution loan and will be graduating in May, you will need to complete a loan exit interview.

This process is MANDATORY for graduation. Your exit interview will need to be done prior to May 11, 2009. You may complete your loan exit interview online at:

https://www.fc.campusoncall.com/cgi-bin/home.pl?campus=msmc

Please contact the Business Office for more information



Submit your activities, events or announcements to the Chalon Student News and keep the campus informed!
Submissions are due every Wednesday at 12:00 PM for the next week's issue.
E-mail: cnews@msmc.la.edu

Learning Assistance Programs/ISAE

H-207-(310) 954-4144

Sign up TODAY in front of the Learning Center

ISAE Students: ED PLAN updates!

Make sure to update your ED PLAN with your ISAE Counselor if you haven't already done so.
Stop by the ISAE Office to make your appointment!

ISAE SENIORS:

Please make your appointment with your ISAE counselor for your ISAE EXIT meeting. You must do this before graduation! Stop by the ISAE Office TODAY!

ISAE STUDENTS!!! Watch for the email from the ISAE PROGRAM providing you with the link to submit your ISAE 2008/2009 PROGRAM/PEER ADVISOR Evaluation. Deadline for submission is Monday, MAY 4.

We will draw a name from those who submit a completed evaluation by the deadline. The winner will receive a $50 Visa/MasterCard/ American Express gift card, so be sure to submit your EVAL by the deadline!

(No worries - All EVALUATION responses will be ANONYMOUS! Survey Monkey allows us to know who submitted a response without telling us what each person said!)

ACADEMIC ADVISEMENT

Do you know French, Spanish, or Japanese? Know enough to place into a higher level course or fulfill your foreign language GE requirement? Sign up to take the language placement exam on **April 30, 2009**.

MATH Placement Exams are HERE!!! Sign up for the Algebra or Calculus placement exam in our office today! **April 28, 2009**
REMEMBER: Math placement exam scores are valid for 2 years ONLY. You may have to retake the exam if you have not taken a math course in the last two years, and still have an outstanding Math GE requirement.

ATTENTION New Transfer Students! Submit your Final Transcripts by **May 5, 2009**. Remember, you only have one semester to contest your Transfer Credit Evaluation. For more information visit us online or stop by during posted drop-in hours.

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
CHALON	9:00 AM - 11:00 AM	1:00 PM - 3:00 PM	BY APPT. ONLY	1:00 PM - 3:00 PM	BY APPT. ONLY

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License Agreements:
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You will lose your housing if you fail to turn in your License Agreement by the deadline.

Termination of Residence Forms:
For residents who are not returning to the residence halls for Fall 2009, Termination of Residence Forms are due by 4:30 pm on Tuesday, May 1 for a full refund (less any charges at the end of the year). Forms received after May 1 but before 4:30 pm on Tuesday, May 15 are eligible for half of the refund (less any charges).

Last Athenian Cafe of the Year:
All residents and commuters are welcome to come. Join us for the last Athenian Cafe of the year, taking place on **Sunday, May 3** from 4:30 to 6:00 pm in the Cafeteria by the Coffee Bar. We will have the Wii, board games, and you can decorate a cupcake! Each person will get a free drink and pastry. Raffle and prizes will be provided!

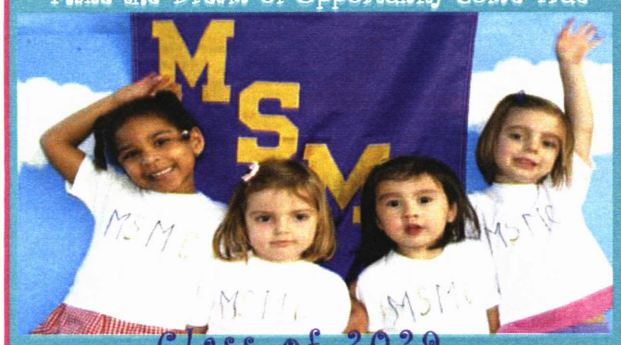
You are invited to the...
Class of 2009
Senior Farewell Dinner

Friday, May 1, 2009
Doheny Mansion
7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

RSVP by Monday, April 27 online at:
www.msmcalums.la.edu/seniorfarewell09

Questions? Call (213) 477-2767

Make the Dream of Opportunity Come True



Only 19 seniors have participated to date in the Class of 2009 Senior Gift Campaign.

We want to be proud of our Class of 2009 Senior Gift. We want to beat the Class of 2008.

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Finals Schedule

Exam Periods	Monday May 4	Tuesday May 5	Wednesday May 6	Thursday May 7	Friday May 8
8:00-10:00 AM	M-W-F 9:10a-10:10a	T - TH	M-W-F 8:00a-9:00a	T - TH 8:00a-9:30a	In-House
10:30 - 12:30 PM	M-W-F 11:30a-12:30p	T - TH 9:40a-11:10a	M-W-F 10:20a-11:20a	T-TH 11:20a-12:50p	Faculty
1:00 - 3:00 PM	M-W-F 1:50p-2:50p	T - TH	M-W-F 12:40p-1:40p	T - TH 2:20p-3:50p	Work
3:30 - 5:30 PM	M-W 3:00p-4:30p	T - TH 4:00p-5:30p	M-W-F 4:40p-6:10p	T - TH:	Day
6:00 - 9:00 PM	M	T	W	TH	

Career Services is taking a stay-cation this summer! We're here for you!

Summer hours: M-F 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Contact our staff for an appointment or drop by H401

Marlene Simon: Msimon@msmc.la.edu, 310-954-4135
Marcy Newman: Mnewman@msmc.la.edu, 310-954-4136

Top Reasons to Visit Career Services this Summer



1. To prepare a strong resume & cover letter (which go great with a strong tan)
2. To prepare for and/or research graduate schools including exams like the GRE, LSAT & MCAT
3. To hone your interview skills through mock interviews or Perfect Interview: www.perfectinterview.com/msmc
4. To find jobs & internships now or for fall. Check out the Mount Career Network: www.mountcareernetwork.com
5. To take the Strong Interest Inventory Assessment to determine your preferences as they relate to work
6. To gain advice on anything career-related from "What does business casual mean?" to "How can I be a better networker?"
7. To determine your next move & weigh options... especially May graduates. Alumnae can utilize our services too!

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